

Troops to Stay at Vera Cruz

STAGE SET FOR SESSIONS AT NIAGARA FALLS

Mediators are Arriving—Mexican Envoys Said to Oppose Naming Villa or Carranza as Successor to Huerta — Rebels Continue March on Mexico City

HUERTA AGREES TO RESIGN

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Gen. Huerta has authorized the Mexican mediation delegates to submit his resignation, in case such a course is found necessary to a settlement in peace negotiations. This was stated positively in dispatches today from a thoroughly competent diplomatic source in Mexico City, to one of the foreign representatives here and contains intimations given by friends of the delegates here yesterday.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—While the stage was being set in Niagara Falls for the next big scene in the Mexican crisis, officials in diplomatic and administration circles eagerly discussed the extent to which the mediation preliminaries might reach, and the bearing the negotiations eventually would have on the hope of settling the southern republic's ills. Reported optimism of the Huerta delegates over chances for mediation and their confidence that their long journey will not have been in vain found reflection in the capital.

Members of the federal mission were in New York today. Minister Nason of Argentina was at Niagara Falls, or en route for the beginning of the conference next Wednesday. Ambassador Buarque of Brazil was to leave New York today for the Canadian border town. Minister Shuman of Chile was to leave here today, and members of the American mission were expected to reach Niagara Falls Tuesday night or early Wednesday morning, about the time the Huerta representatives arrive from New York.

Successor to Huerta

The Huerta delegates firmly declined while here to give out any statement of their program. Nevertheless, snippets of their viewpoint was believed to have been obtained from representative Mexicans and others with whom they talked. They were reported as feeling that the federal administration is disintegrating, and that it is inevitable that a successor must be chosen for Huerta. The great problem in that event is that successors could be obtained against possible property confiscation by invading constitutionalists, safeguards against anarchy, and the kind of government that would stand and attract world recognition.

Troops at Vera Cruz

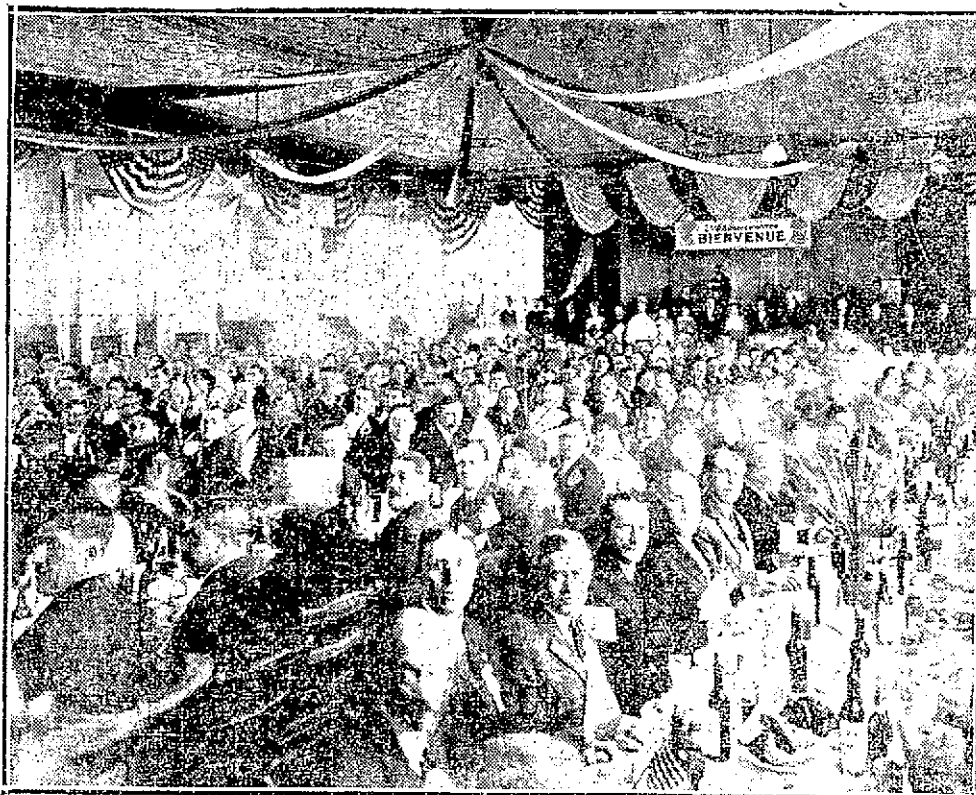
The Huerta delegates privately have admitted that the real problem confronting them is the pacification of their country. At the same time, persons in the confidence of the Washington government assert the question for mediation no longer is the Tampico flag incident or the numerous affronts to the dignity of the United States, but the broad question of settling the troubled republic's ills. Along that line, it is said that Huerta's troops never will be withdrawn from Vera Cruz until a new government is established or assured in Mexico City.

Not Carranza or Villa

Observers who were said to have the confidence of Emilio Rabasa, head of the Huerta mission, stated that the federalists probably would object to the naming as Huerta's successor any man

SILVER JUBILEE OF C. M. A. C. First Edition

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VIEW OF THE BANQUET HALL AND GUESTS' TABLE

Celebration Attended by Gov. Walsh, Congressman Rogers, Councillor J. J. Hogan and Other Officials—Interesting Addresses Delivered

The silver jubilee of the C. M. A. C. of St. Joseph's parish, Rev. J. H. Racette, O. M. I., Ph. D., a solemn high mass was celebrated at St. Joseph's church at 11 o'clock. The interior of the temple was handsomely decorated with national and French colors, while the altar was a mass of incense, lights and flowers. The congregation was very large and the pews of the two main aisles of the church were occupied by members with their wives and lady friends. The celebrant of the mass was the chaplain of the association, Rev. E. J. A. Chaput, O. M. I., who was assisted by Rev. Bro. Laroché, O. M. I., as deacon, and Rev. Bro. Rosaria, O. M. I., as subdeacon, both of the Tewksbury rectory. The choir, which was augmented for the occasion, under the direction of Telephore Madsen, rendered "Kormar's St. James' mass." Mrs. J. A. Bernard presiding at the organ. At the offertory Mr. Ernest J. Dupont sang in splendid voice Paolo Perzetta's "Salve Regina."

The sermon, a forceful one on "Catholic Societies," was delivered by the pastor of the parish, who took occasion to congratulate the members of the C. M. A. C. for the progress of their organization since its inception. He urged his listeners to continue in the path they have been following for over a quarter of a century and closed by extending in behalf of the parish his best wishes to the prosperous C. M. A. C.

The banquet, which was held at the C. M. A. C. building in Pawtucket street, where a reception was held. This was indeed a happy scene for some of the boys had not seen each other for a number of years and it was evident that the gathering brought forth reminiscences of olden days. The members of the reception committee were on hand and through their untiring efforts the quantities were renewed. Shortly before 2 o'clock ranks were formed and the guests marched to the banquet hall on the second floor, where all took places about the festive board. The interior of the hall was handsomely decorated with flags and the scene was a most pleasing one. Long streamers of red, white and blue bunting swung gracefully from the centre of the ceiling to the side walls, while the large windows were draped with blue curtains. American flags were prominent here and there, while the stage was decked with potted plants and flowers. On the walls hung portraits of former chaplains of the association and the ensemble of the decorations was splendid.

Seated at the table of honor were: Governor David I. Walsh, Cong. John Jacob Rogers, Mayor D. J. Murphy and Mrs. Murphy, Hon. and Mrs. John J. Hogan, Rep. Henri Achin and Miss Anna Chellette, Mr. and Mrs. Isidore Trudel, Dr. and Mrs. George H. Calise, Rev. J. H. Racette, O. M. I., Ph. D., Rev. E. J. A. Chaput, O. M. I., Rev. J. R. Labrosse, Rev. Leon Lamache, O. M. I., E. H. Choquette of New Bedford and Rep. Allen of Fitchburg.

Prior to the opening of the banquet the assembly at the request of the toastmaster sat still for a moment while the Sun artist got busy in taking a photo of the assembly and when this bit of work was completed all discussed a dainty menu served by the D. L. Page Co.



REV. HENRI ACHIN, JR.

President Isidore Trudel of the C. M. A. C. opened the post-prandial exercises with a brief address of welcome at the close of which he introduced the toastmaster, Rep. Henri Achin. The latter spoke at length on the organization and its 25th anniversary and in behalf of the association thanked the many guests who numbered over

TWO NEW CARRIERS FOR THE POST OFFICE

Postmaster R. J. Crowley Today Advanced Edward J. Lynch and Arthur H. Bagshaw to Regular Carrier Force at the Lowell Office

Through the efforts of Postmaster show from the substitute list to the Crowley department at Washington permanent force. They were foremost has agreed to allow two additional carriers in the line of promotion. With this addition to the carriers' postmaster this morning received no corps the postmaster will be able to put on two new routes and thus renew men to his regular force. He made the appointments within the present delivery district. He will also be able to give an earlier morning delivery in some parts of the city.

4 SURVIVORS PICKED UP

U.S. Revenue Cutter Seneca Arrives at Halifax With Survivors of Third Columbian Boat

HALIFAX, N. S., May 18.—The United States revenue cutter Seneca arrived here today with the four survivors of the burned steamer Columbian whom she picked up from their small boat 40 miles south of Sable Island at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The condition of the men was pitiful but it was believed that they will live.

A wireless message from Capt. Johnston of the Seneca yesterday told concisely of the rescue. Little could be gained from the sailors from their experience beyond the fact that they had been tossed helplessly by the seas since May 4 when fire broke out on the Columbian and drove them into their small boat. There were 15 men in the craft when it went over the smoking side of the Columbian. Eleven companions died of hunger and exposure and the four emaciated men taken aboard the revenue cutter were in a state of lethargy.

BECKER TRIAL ELCHO

C. B. Plitt, Becker's Press Agent, May Testify for State

NEW YORK, May 18.—Interest in the second trial of Charles B. Becker, for the murder of Herman Rosenthal today centered in the probability of several new witnesses being called by District Attorney Charles S. Whitman to corroborate the testimony of Jack Rose, Harry Vailon and Bridget Weber that Becker and conspired with them to have Rosenthal killed. Among those who are said to be waiting to testify is Charles B. Plitt, who was Becker's press agent when the accused former police lieutenant was head of the strong arm squad in charge of the suppression of gambling. It was also expected that two former members of the "barone arm squad," Charles M. Stewart and James J. White, would be witnesses today. Mr. Whitman will question them regarding the alleged conference of Becker with Rose, Weber and others which the court of appeals referred to as the "heart of the conspiracy" against Rosenthal. Stewart and White are also under subpoena by the prosecution. Plitt, testified for the defense at Becker's trial and his probable appearance now for the state is a surprise. The prosecution may conclude its case today with the exception of rebuttal testimony. Whether Becker takes the stand in his own defense it was said today would depend entirely upon developments at the trial. As the case now stands, Martin T. Munton chief counsel for the defense is known to oppose Becker's plea to be allowed to testify.

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Bunting Marathon
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PRES. ISIDORE J. TRUDEL

man, E. H. Choquette and others were heard. The event was the cause of bringing together former presidents of the association and the reunion which took place at the well appointed quarters of the society in Pawtucket street was a most enjoyable one. The building was handsomely decorated both in the interior and exterior, and presented an appearance of cheerfulness that brought good cheer to the heart of each member.

Church Service

Through the courtesy of the pastor

(See Next Edition)

BOY DROWNED

New Bedford Lad in Fatal Canoe Accident at Orono, Me.

ORONO, Maine, May 18.—Clifford B. Sherman, Jr., a prominent New Bedford young man and a member of the sophomore class at the University of Maine, met death in the waters of the Stillwater river here yesterday, when the canoe in which he and Omar K. Ede, a classmate, were cruising, was upset in the rapids.

The accident occurred early in the afternoon. The two college youths had proceeded but a short distance up the river and were within sight of the university hall when the frail craft was overturned in the rapid current. Both youths, neither of whom was an expert swimmer, were seen to clutch for the overturned canoe.

Sherman missed his grasp by a few inches and went under. Ede, whose name is in letters, managed to hold up the canoe until he worked to within a few yards of the shore, and then waded to safety.

Sherman had gone under for the last time before help reached the scene. He was the son of Clifford B. Sherman, for the New Bedford district of Bristol county. He was a member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity and one of the most popular of the students of the university. He was a graduate of New Bedford high school in the class of 1911 and had many friends in that city.

DIED CRANKING HIS AUTO

WELL KNOWN BOSTON MARKET MAN DROPPED DEAD ON THE CHARLES RIVER RESERVATION

BOSTON, May 18.—George P. Trout, of 755 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, formerly one of the best known men in the Boston market district, dropped dead while cranking his automobile on the Charles river reservation at Annapolis, where he and his wife had stopped to watch the concert.

Mr. Trout formerly conducted an extensive produce business in the market district, but a few years ago retired because of his advanced age, living then close on to 70 years.

Yesterday afternoon he started with his wife on their customary Sunday automobile ride. When they got up to the Weston bridge they saw an unusually large number of concertists on the river, so they drove on to the reservation and stopped a while to watch the concert.

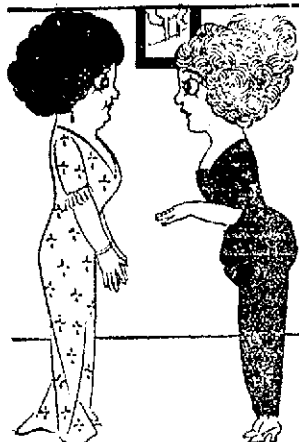
After they had been there for some time, Mr. Trout started to crank the engine and prepare to move on. Evidently it was too much of a strain for him, for he tripped over on the ground and started to move.

Charles Robinson, a housewife proprietor, reported to be passing at that time, saw the man fall. He went up to his assistance and called on a doctor who was one of the nearby residents and noticed Eusebius Elliott of the Boston City hospital.

After a short time a stretcher was started to carry the man to the hospital, but a short distance away, before they arrived, he died.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

A LITTLE NONSENSE



THE MAIN THING.

Mother—Kitty, what are the intentions of that young man you are permitting to call on you so often?

Daughter—Never mind that, mother; I know what my intentions are.



ON SOME TEAMS.

"I read somewhere that baseball was invented by the Indians."

"Guess that's right; and we've got a lot of wooden ones playing it."



SUPERNATURAL.

Mother—Ethel, how could you knock your brother down. I am shocked.

Ethel (proudly)—The Lord gave me strength.



PLENTY OF TIME.

Ethel—Papa, I want an ice-cream sundae.

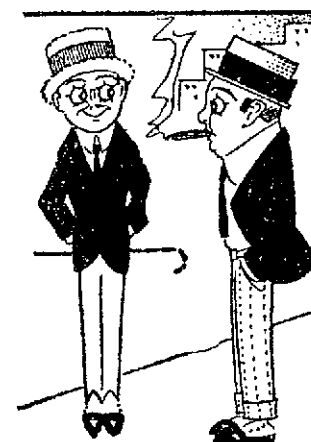
Her Pa—All right, dear, remind me of it again; this is only Tuesday.



ECONOMIC DEFENCE.

"Why don't you women dress sensibly?"

"If they did, half the industries of the world would go to smash."



HOW SCANDAL GROWS.

"What's this? I hear you had your face smashed in a barber shop."

"You heard it wrong. The barber merely broke my mug."

AMUSEMENT NOTES

OPERA HOUSE

The feature picture that every theatre-goer in Lowell has been anxiously waiting for and inquiring about is to be presented at the Opera House today. Little Mary Pickford, the world's most famous and beloved picture actress, will be seen in the modern fairy play, "A Good Little Devil," with David Belasco as original all-star cast, including David Belasco himself. "A Good Little Devil" has had the most successful and longest run of any legitimate production on the American stage at the Theatre, New York city, and his wonderful feature photograph in five parts, is destined to be even more popular than the stage version. Miss Pickford will be seen in her best efforts in this beautiful production, where she has added new laurels to her already heavy crown, one wonderful thing about Miss Pickford is the manner in which she has won thousands of admirers each week. No star of the stage has made so many friends in this city as the star of the screen. The people go to see her because they truly love her.

"PETER PAN"

To properly present J. M. Barrie's plays, one must thoroughly understand the South Atlantic. Barrie has said of Maude Adams that she understands

his characters better than he does himself and it is a matter of theatrical history that beginning with "The Little Minister" she has made huge successes of all of his important plays that have been seen in this country. Over the revival of Barrie's "Peter Pan" to which the actress has been devoting herself for some time, Miss Adams worked with a good deal of enthusiasm. She herself planned the production and personally looked after the carrying out of all the details. The matter of selecting the people for the various characters was gone into very thoroughly and when this was completed the rehearsals became very arduous. The result of all this preliminary work is that while Barrie's whimsical work is all delightful make believe to the audiences the players give the impression that to them it is all real as it can be. This is as Barrie wanted it and in his instructions to the players he given them little opportunity to go astray. Among the important players in the large cast are George Hubbard, Byron Silvers, Marion Abbott, Dorothy Dunn, Margaret Field and Dorothy Chesmond. The production is a most picturesque one, and will be presented here Thursday evening, May 21. Seats now selling.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Prince Floro, the most wonderful Sultan in the world, will entertain at

the B. F. Keith Theatre this week, giving his batch of unusual stunts. Not only is Prince Floro qualified to ride a bicycle as well as most of the human experts in bicycling, but he tackles some of the most difficult feats, including the manipulation of a wheel, the seat of which is ten feet above the wheels. He is a natural balancer, and has never had a tumble from his seat of eminence. He handles a billiard cue like a professional sharpshooter, does a dozen and one other things like the ordinary human being. It was believed by animal trainers that Consul and Pedro represented the very highest point of animal intelligence and education. But Prince Floro has beaten them and is entitled to be called their successor.

Secure Richardson and company will give the very funny skit, called "Moving Day," it is a series of situations of the mirth provoking kind from start to finish. Harry Sargent, a Lowell boy, has an excellent part in it. Mr. Richardson is in the cast of "Saw Hill," who, with his wife, has picked out a flat at 6 Maple street. House painters and decorators have been at work at Maple street, and Mr. Richardson, who is a very good actor, has turned the apartment upside-down. Of course, "Mr. and Mrs. Hill" think they have arrived at their new flat and enter to take possession of it. The landlord is there at the time and bids them come in. He supposes they are respectively the janitor and the scrubwoman, and begins the giving of orders. "Mr. and Mrs. Hill" are so used to being treated in a respectful manner, that they are a little bit indignant. The situation is most unusual, and not until the last minute of the act does the atmosphere clear and the landlord is left in a predicament. The act is full of light comedy and tinkling music, and the combination is sure to please. The men are agile dancers and can turn in an acrobatic twist or two. If occasion demands it.

Sampson and Kelly, "the fashion plates of vaudeville," live up to their title, for their dressing of the act is without equal among entertainers. They are a couple with scenic effects, good songs, smart patter and some highly interesting dancing.

The Grazers will keep audiences guessing. One of the new players, although both first appear on the stage as women. The impersonator is so good in his work that nobody will be able to spot him until well near the close of the act, when the great number and some high grade dancing will constitute the entertainment they will offer.

Daley and Kramer are makers and singers of their own songs, and the Aerial Show are real performers, who do some daredevil work. The Mexican war pictures to be shown on the Hearst-Bell films will hold some wholly new subjects. Good seats for all performances may be secured in advance at the box office. Phone 25.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

"Robert Emmet," one of the greatest Irish plays ever written, will be the week's offering by the Merrimack Square Theatre players, commencing with a matinee today at 2:30 o'clock p. m. The play was penned by Brandon Tynan, renowned as the author of many of the biggest successes of the present day. His dramatization of the life and work of this great Irish patriot is said by the New York Herald to be the best and greatest success of its kind since the days of Rostand. During its original run in New York city, it enjoyed an engagement which lasted a full year, and during its run on the road it enjoyed equal success. As a stock attraction it has few equals. Tuesday night will be "Emmet night" and arrangements have been made for the reception to all members of local Irish organizations. A specially arranged musical program will be given by the Merrimack Square theatre orchestra, Phil M. Lederman leader.

In his dramatization of this really wonderful four-act play, Tynan has incorporated many interesting and thrilling scenes, while his moulding together of the various incidents and actions of Emmet, during his career in the Emerald Isle, is said to be without an equal. He has intermingled the life's history of that great Irishman, with a sufficient touch of humor to evenly balance the more serious situations and scenes, while a pretty love story runs through it and adds materially to its worth as a play. The character of Emmet, Walter Scott Weeks, the talented young leading man of the company, will be seen to particular advantage. All of the dramatic

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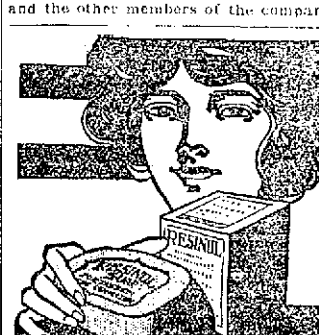
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power possessed by this clever actor will be brought to the forefront, and it goes without saying that he will add materially to his successes of the past. Miss Gladys Malvern, the charming leading woman of the cast, will interpret the role of "Sarah Curran," sweetheart of Emmet, while Charles Stevens, May Hurst and Ivano Lido and the other members of the company will be seen to advantage in their respective parts.



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AT THE OWL THEATRE

"A wonderful character study by a wonderful actor" is the critics' remark on "A Day for a Day," the three reel photo-venture which will be shown at the Owl today and tomorrow. In connection with five other reels of picture plays, including "Down on the Farm," a screaming farce by these clever, vaudeville comedians. Another play that will attract attention is "The Navy Aviator," a novel war drama of

modern times. The others are all excellent subjects, and worthy of mention. Remember that the Owl shows a partial list of the best General films, or trust pictures as they are commonly called, and in connection with the features offered and the Mutual program, why it makes it almost impossible for any other house in the city to beat the shows given. The management has the pick of the very best of the photo-play world, irrespective of make-up or distributor. Put this under your bonnet when you start on a hunt for a good motion picture show. And last but not least the movie screen and direct electric current guaranteed absolutely the best service obtainable for miles around.

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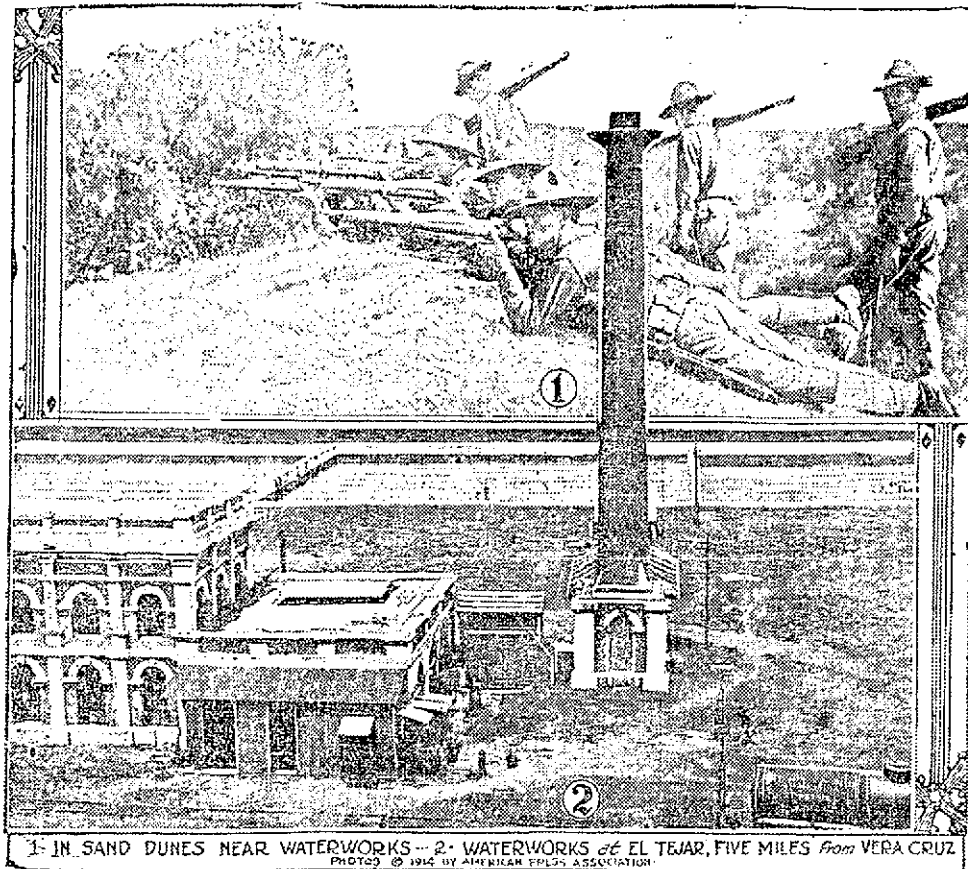
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This is a bird-eye view of a part of the Vera Cruz waterworks situated at El Tejar, about five miles from the city. The main power plant is shown with the tall chimney of the pumping station, and also may be seen some of the reservoirs. Marines and soldiers have drawn up a strong guard around the plant and are on constant watch against attack. The trenches in the sand dunes around the works are thick with soldiers.

O'SHAUGHNESSY TO TALK AUTOS IN COLLISION VESUVIUS CRATER WEAK

FORMER CHARGE D'AFFAIRES IN MEXICO WILL BE SPEAKER AT DINNER IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, May 18.—Nelson O'Shaughnessy will be the principal speaker at a dinner to be given by the members of the American Automobile Association here on the evening of May 27. The occasion will be known as the "Auto Dinner" and is intended to bring together the sons of the members of the association and to interest them in its work.

Mr. O'Shaughnessy's address will mark his first public appearance in this country since his return from Mexico. It is expected he will talk on conditions in that country.

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TWO MEN IN SERIOUS CONDITION AT STAMFORD, CONN. HOSPITAL

STAMFORD, Conn., May 18.—The condition of A. D. Clark of Littleton, N. H., and Robert Mitchell of New York, who were injured in a collision of automobiles late last night on the highway between Haverhill and Stamford, was said at the Stamford hospital this morning to be very critical and little hope for the recovery of either is held out.

Clark's automobile was struck by one driven by John P. Curtis, a New York broker who lives at Greenwich, Mich. Clark's car was overturned and took fire. Clark's head was badly burned and he could be dragged from under it. Mitchell's skull is fractured.

TOP OF VOLCANO THREATENS COLLAPSE AFTER RECENT ACTIVITY—SIGHTSEERS BARRED

NAPLES, May 18.—A large part of the top of the crater of Mount Vesuvius is threatening to collapse owing to the recent activity of the volcano. A party of Americans yesterday were prevented from approaching the crater because of the danger of an accident.

DROWNED WHILE FISHING

BOAT CONTAINING PARTY OF FIVE CAPSIZED IN ST. ALBANS BAY AND TWO WERE DROWNED

ST. ALBANS, Vt., May 18.—A boat containing five fishermen capsized in St. Albans Bay yesterday when the anchor was thrown overboard and Alfred and William Downaway were drowned. The other three were rescued. William Downaway, who was 30 years old, leaves a wife and three children, one of whom was born yesterday. Alfred was 26 years old and unmarried.

TWO SMALL FIRES
A fire burning at the corner of Broadway and Mt. Vernon street caught five fishermen capsized on Saturday night and an alarm from box 14 was sounded. The blaze was soon extinguished and but little damage was done. A dump fire near the railroad tracks, off Blue street, kept the firemen busy for some time. The damage was slight.

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Sails From New York
With Bride

NEW YORK, May 18.—Vincent Astor, much improved in health, according to his friends, has sailed from New York with his bride for a short sea trip. On board his yacht, the Noma, Mr. and Mrs. Astor came to New York from Rhinebeck on Saturday and on Sunday the yacht steamed out to sea. The trip, it was said, would not extend further than Chesapeake bay.

The Noma was refurnished, new boilers installed and other improvements made in the year Mr. Astor had planned to spend his honeymoon on the yacht, taking a cruise to the Mediterranean. His illness, which threatened to delay the wedding, caused the trip to be postponed. The present trip is the first the couple have taken since their wedding on April 20.

ROBBED STATE OFFICER

SILAS P. SMITH HELD UP WHILE GOING WEST FOR A PRISON-ER

RENO, Nev., May 18.—Silas P. Smith of the Massachusetts state police and Officer J. W. Kane of Cambridge, Mass., caused the arrest here of Harry L. Patch of Cambridge upon a fugitive warrant charging wife abandonment. Gov. Odell signed extradition papers and Saturday night Patch departed for Boston.

When Smith and Kane were nearing San Francisco on the trip to this city their train was held up, and Smith lost all his valuables, the bandit taking his watch and purse at the point of a revolver. Both officers were unarmed, their weapons being in their suitcases. While the bandit was directing his attention to other passengers, Kane picked up what he thought was his grip and hurriedly opened the bag in search for his revolver. Instead of masculine apparel, however, the grip contained woman's money.

By the time Kane discovered his mistake the bandit had been told by a negro cook of the dining car after the conductor had wounded him.

FARMER SHOT HIS WIFE

AS RESULT OF QUARREL AND THEN KILLED HIMSELF AT LONDONDERRY, N. H.

LONDONDERRY, N. H., May 18.—James Irving Chase, a farmer, committed suicide yesterday by discharging a shotgun at his head after he had attempted to kill his wife. She was wounded only slightly and will recover. A quarrel is said to have preceded the shooting. Chase was 66 years of age.

FRANK P. MAJES

Polymath Who Escaped From Lowell Jail Is Still at Large—Married Three Times

According to a dispatch from Boston, Frank P. Majes, the man who escaped from the Lowell jail last Saturday forenoon, pleaded guilty to a charge of polygamy in the Somerville police court April 29, 1913, and was sentenced to the house of correction for two years.

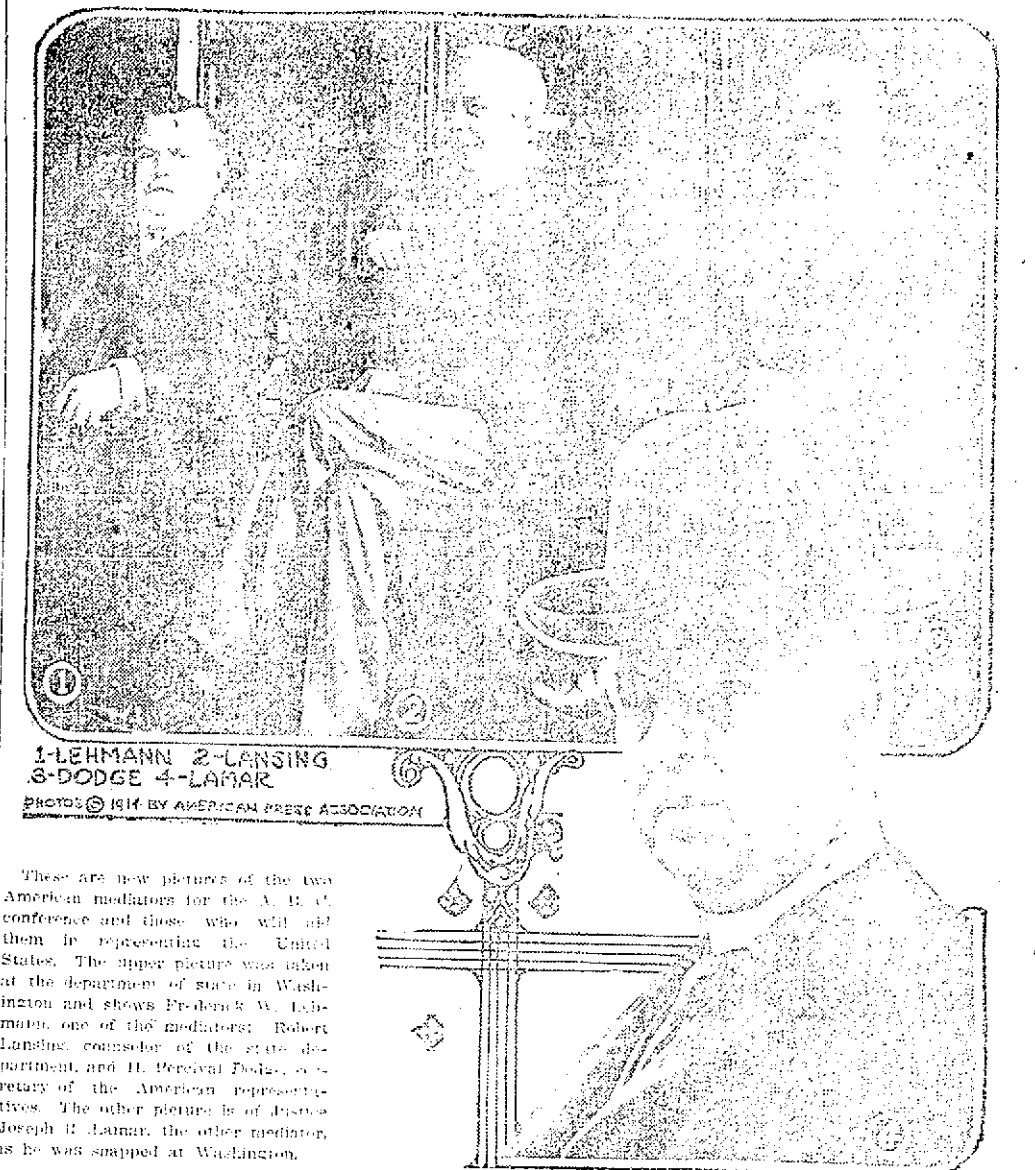
Majes, it is said, was married three times. He was divorced from his first wife, and married Nettie Benson at Wrentham, Mass., Sept. 29, 1904. They had two children. Majes lived in Somerville before his marriage to Miss Benson and in April, a year ago, he returned and renewed an acquaintance with Miss Eva L. Thayer of 111 Josephine avenue, Somerville. On April 29, 1913, it is alleged, Majes went through a mock marriage ceremony with Miss Thayer in Rhode Island and upon their return to Somerville the couple were married over again by a Somerville minister at the request of Miss Thayer's parents. Then they went to New York city and on April 22, 1914, Miss Thayer after stealing her jewels. The next day he was arrested on a charge of bigamy and when arraigned in the Somerville court was found guilty.

RETIRES TO FLAVORS SIDE
BOSTON, May 18.—Summoned to the side of her fiancé who is lying seriously ill in a Los Angeles hospital, Miss "Charlie" Wynn of Little Wrentham, England, arrived yesterday on the steamer Devonian from Liverpool, and immediately left for the west on the next day of her 20th birthday. Miss Wynn received notification of the illness of her fiancé a few hours before the Devonian sailed and barely had time to catch the ship.

AMERICANS AND MEXICANS CLASH
VERA CRUZ, May 18.—Americans and Mexicans met in friendly battle on the baseball field yesterday afternoon, and the nine of the Fourth Infantry defeated the Azules in an all-star Mexican team, in a four inning game, 4 to 1. The grandstand was crowded with white uniformed navy and khaki-clad army officers and a large number of the Mexican population. Routings, from which snipers did deadly work against the American forces, held hundreds of European spectators. According to the international contest, the Fourth Infantry defeated a team of the engineers, 7 to 2.

OPPOSE LIGHT CONTRACT
BOSTON, May 18.—Opposition to the plan to replace all gas lamps in this city with electric lights was expressed last night by the Central Labor union. A petition which it was voted to send to Mayor Curley read:
"Demand has not been made by public for such a radical change. In every city in the country and in all cities in Europe both the electric and gas are used as a matter of course in the event of any calamity occurring to one system."
The resolution also declares it would be unwise to give one company a complete monopoly of all street lighting of a city the size of Boston.

NEW SNAPSHOTS OF AMERICAN MEDIATORS AND AIDS IN THE A. B. C. CONFERENCE



1-LEHMANN 2-LANSING 3-DODGE 4-LAMAR

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These are new pictures of the two American mediators for the A. B. C. conference and those who will aid them in representing the United States. The upper picture was taken at the department of state in Washington and shows Frederick W. Lehmann, one of the mediators; Robert Lansing, counselor of the state department; and H. Percival Dodge, secretary of the American representatives. The other picture is of Joseph H. Lamar, the other mediator, as he was snapped at Washington.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

NEW ENGLAND INTERCOLLEGIATE CHAMPIONSHIP MEET AT LONGWOOD CLUB

BOSTON, May 18.—College tennis players were favored with a splendid day for the opening of the New England Intercollegiate championship tournament at the Longwood country club today. The contest represented the American winner last year of the first prize on a new cup. The winners were: Brown College, Dartmouth, Princeton, Wesleyan, Williams and Yale.

BOY FELL INTO CANOE

YOUNG LAD DROPPED FROM BRIDGE RAIL UPSETTING BOAT WITH OCCUPANTS

BOSTON, May 18.—Four persons came near losing their lives in a peculiar accident in Weston today. An American boy, while playing on a bridge, fell into a passing canoe, causing it to capsize and throw the occupants two young women and a young man into the water.

The boy, Arthur Higgins, of 200 Ashburton street, Auburndale, was playing on the bridge with a number of his young playmates. The game had been going on for some time when young Higgins climbed over the end of the bridge to try and catch one of his young companions who was trying to run him.

He got over the rail all right, but when trying to stretch himself on the other side he lost his balance and fell backward, head first, into the water.

Just as that time, a small fishing boat, carrying a party of five, was passing under the bridge. Higgins did not have a chance to shout, but fell on the side of the canoe, causing it to tip over.

A large crowd on the bridge, and on the banks, witnessed the accident and called for help. The boat was quickly pulled up and the young man and woman were rescued. Higgins was taken to the hospital.

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BANDITS ROB N. Y. THEATRE

NEW YORK, May 18.—Posing as detectives, four men gained entrance to a Broadway motion picture theatre early today, made the watchman a prisoner, headlamped three wait men who were in the theatre and blew open the safe in the box office, obtaining \$10,000. The robbers were in the theatre building three hours and controlled the watchman to what the watchman's clocks at various points in the theatre in the proper time so that no suspicion as to their presence would be raised on the outside.

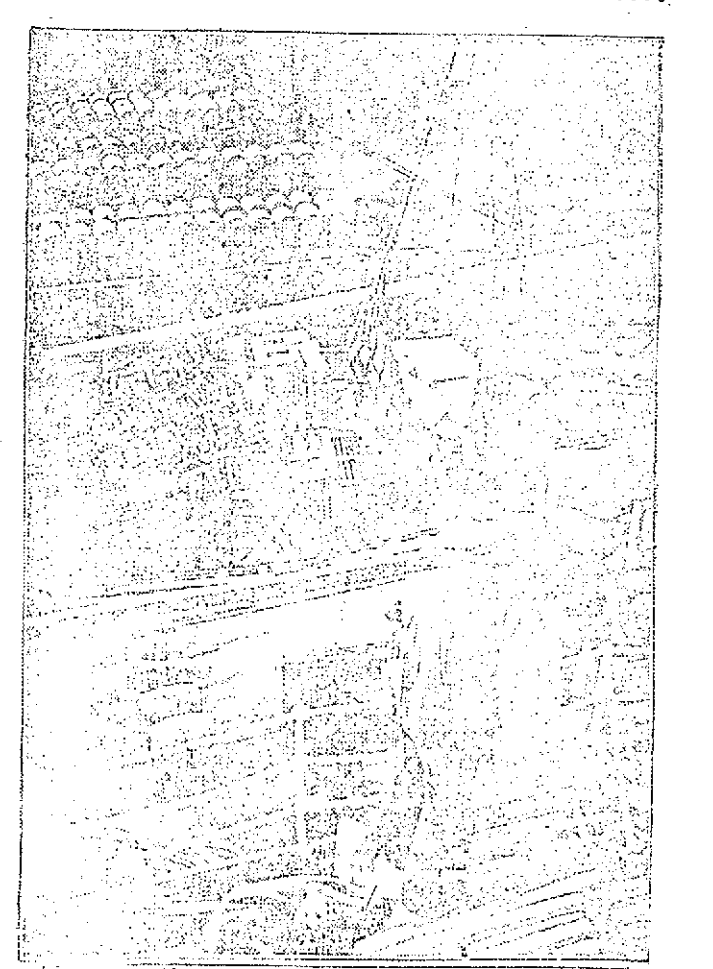
CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—A. A. Robinson of San Francisco is the socialist party nominee for governor of California. It was announced here today. He was chosen by votes taken at the various "wards" of the party.

BODY OF MME. NORDICA

STAVIA, Java, May 18.—The body of the late Madame Lillian Nordica was shipped today on board the steamer Van der Meer for Singapore, from which port it will be taken to the United States.

WAR SUPPLIES FOR SOLDIERS AT VERA CRUZ LOADED ON TRANSPORT



LEADS WAR SUPPLIES AT NEW YORK FOR VERA CRUZ

NEW YORK, May 18.—War supplies are being loaded to Vera Cruz, Mexico, by the United States government. The accompanying picture shows a transport, with wheels and camp materials being loaded on a transport. The war department is in a position to fully prepare for war in Mexico should the mediation plan fail.

Coffee Finds its Place

The Literary Digest, of March 28, 1914, quoting the New York World, says:

"Coffee and its allied intoxicants appear to be about the cheapest things in the market. They are seemingly cheaper than whiskey, cheaper than beer, cheaper in proportion to effects than tea or coffee."

The best teaching of today is distinctly against the use of coffee, tea and other drugs, and drug-bearing beverages—especially among the young. It is well established that headache, nervousness, indigestion, sleeplessness, and other aches and pains are commonly caused by coffee drinking.

People are becoming alive to this fact and thousands have quit coffee and now use

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OLDEST LIVING PRINTER

John C. Milne of Fall River News
Retires on His 90th Birthday—
His Brilliant Career

FALL RIVER, May 18.—After 82 years of continuous and conscientious labor as a printer, John C. Milne retires today, on his 90th birthday, from the publication of the Fall River Evening News, in the foundation of which he was a partner 69 years ago. Mr. Milne, at his retirement, is probably the oldest active printer in the world, both in years and service. The record of his connection with the printing trade, as compositor and pub-

lisher for more than four-score years, probably has never been surpassed in newspaper history. The News was founded by Thomas Almy and John C. Milne as a Weekly, April 3, 1845. Mr. Milne was then not quite 21 years of age. Fall River was a town of about 10,000 inhabitants. Mr. Milne's life, the growth of the News, and the growth of Fall River have been closely identified since. Mr. Milne was actively engaged on the paper up to last November. He passes his interest to his son, Joseph

D. Milne, who has been connected with the News since July 1877, as reporter and managing editor, and for several years as part owner. He will now have a half ownership with Frank S. Almy, who succeeded to the half interest held by his father, Franklin L. Almy, upon the latter's death, June 12, 1912. Mr. Almy has been connected with the business office since July, 1896. He succeeded his father as business manager. John Cruickshank Milne was born in Milfield, Scotland, May 18, 1824. He was the son of Sergeant John Cruickshank, paymaster of a British regiment stationed in Scotland, and Annie Milne, daughter of Rev. John Milne, a Baptist clergyman. His parents died when he was three or four years of age, and he was brought up by his grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. John Milne, who formally adopted him after coming to the United States. He received his primary education in a private school at Glasgow. With his grandparents and an uncle, young Milne came to Pictou, Nova Scotia, in 1832. There, at the age of eight years, he went to work in the printing office of an uncle, making his advent in a trade that was to become his life work. A keen mind and a natural aptitude for the mechanical part of the trade enabled him to develop into a rapid and accurate compositor in a comparatively brief time.

Three years later, in 1835, came the only lengthy interruption that was to figure in his life as a printer for more than four score years. With his grandparents and an uncle he came to Fall River, where other uncles had made homes already. No opportunity to continue in the printing trade presented itself, and he secured work in the blue dye house of the calico print works conducted on Pocasset street by Andrew Robeson & Son. His pay was \$2.25 a week. The hours were from 5 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock at night. He remained in the print works three years.

Almost as remarkable as his record in the newspaper field is that of Mr. Milne's connection with the local banking business. When the Pocasset National Bank was organized in Tiverton, in May, 1851, he was one of its first board of directors. He continued in that position for 48 years, or until the time that the bank lost its identity in a merger with the Massachusetts and National Union banks, forming the present Massachusetts-Pocasset bank. Mr. Milne has lived to see the other members of two boards of directors pass away, as well as the two treasurers and two cashiers. The Pocasset started at the corner of South Main and Rodman streets, then a part of Tiverton, with Oliver Chase as its president, and Samuel Hathaway, Weaver Osborn, John C. Milne and William H. Taylor of Fall River and Moses Baker and Tilden H. Durfee of Tiverton as directors. Mr. Milne was the youngest director.

Five years after the Weekly News was begun, on June 25, 1849, its youthful junior publisher was married to Miss Abby Ann Gifford, daughter of George W. Gifford and Betsey Howland, of this city. If both live until the 25th of June next they will have completed 65 years of married life. They have had nine children, four of whom died in early life. The surviving children are: Mrs. Mary J. Emerson, Joseph C. Milne, Mrs. Charles D. Clark, Mrs. Edward H. Remington and Mrs. James A. Chadwick. There are eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

FAST POLO GAME

International Polo Team Easily Defeated Second Team

NEW YORK, May 17.—With the aid of Hal Phipps, who appears to have won the fourth place on the international polo team, the "big three"—M. J. Waterbury, D. Milburn and L. Waterbury—yesterday easily defeated the second team by the score of 10 to 5, in the fastest game of polo seen in the east this season. A crowd of more than a thousand polo enthusiasts saw the match and the sensational playing of Milburn, Captain Waterbury and the general team work of the first team easily rewarded them for the journey to Westbury.

The second team failed to score until the fourth period, after the "big three" and Phipps had a lead of seven goals. Mounted on Conover, a Texas pony, which has been service in all of the international matches, Captain Waterbury made a goal from the throw-in three shots. His time of 14 seconds made this goal the fastest so far recorded this season. The next practice game will be played tomorrow on the Meadowbrook field.

BOY RUN DOWN BY AUTO

BOSTON YOUNG MAN NEARLY KILLED BY RACING MACHINE—POLICE MAKE CHASE

BOSTON, May 18.—Samuel Rodman, of the most widely known newsboys of the city, having escaped death early yesterday morning when a high speed racing machine, bearing through Columbus avenue, ran him down at the corner of Dartmouth street and then made off at terrific speed and eluded a car filled with police officers, which started in pursuit.

Rodman is lying seriously injured at the City hospital, suffering from broken bones and a severe wound, while the police of all New England are looking for the car. The machine is believed to be owned by a Canton man and arrests are expected today. Two persons, at least, are under surveillance.

During the pursuit of the car by the police, several persons had narrow escapes from death, including four officers who sought to stop it while the driver of one of H. P. Hood & Sons' milk wagons was thrown from his seat when the racing machine grazed his outfit in trying to round a corner.

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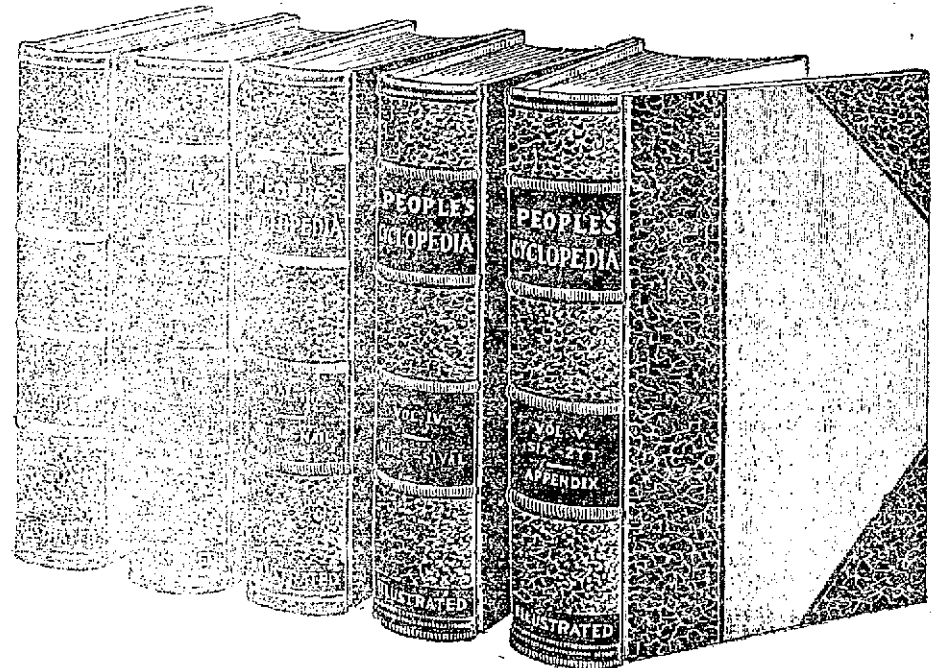
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SHEEP AND WOOL

Conference Called by Secretary of Agriculture for June 2

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—The secretary of agriculture has issued a call for a public conference of persons interested in the sheep and wool industry, to be held in Washington, June 2, 3, 4, and 5. Among the topics suggested by the secretary for discussion are the manufacturing value of American wools; the improvement of flocks and ranch methods of handling wool; the possible adoption of foreign methods to American conditions; the standardization of the wool clip; and the prevention of damage by dogs and predatory animals.

The high quality of American wools, when properly put up, is generally recognized by our manufacturers, but so little attention is paid to the care of American wool at shearing time, that it usually sells for less than its real

value. The principal hindrance to the development of the sheep industry in these States is the lack of a survey of this situation. It is the duty of the department of agriculture to provide that if there were a proper control of the sheep population of the farm states could be maintained on terms. The effect of such an increase on the country's meat supply would be pronounced, as sheep in farm states are raised principally as meat producers.

Various measures have been for some time proposed in propaganda work to effect an improvement in wool handling and sheep husbandry, and this conference is called by the secretary of agriculture to co-ordinate such efforts, and also an opportunity for the discussion of policies of national scope, which will tend to place the sheep and wool industry on a more stable basis.

Many interests have already been manifested, and a large attendance of representatives of wool growers, sheep breeders, manufacturers and others interested in the sheep industry, is expected.

The general authority division of the department of animal industry has made an extensive collection of wools and wool fabrics, which shows the advantages of proper preparation of wool for market, and market requirements. This collection will be on exhibition during the conference.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LOOPS THE LOOP

British Statesman Took Wonderful Chances in the Air

LONDON, May 18.—Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, yesterday looped the loop six times over Sheerness harbor in a monoplane driven by Gustave Hamel, the English aviator.

ADmiral BRUCE DEAD
LONDON, May 18.—Admiral Sir Charles Carter Bruce died today at the age of 85. He was born at Rothsay, New Brunswick, and entered the British navy in 1829. From 1895 to 1908 he was second sea lord of the admiralty.

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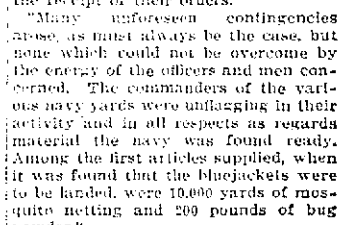
Children's Wash Dresses—Made of gingham, chambray and percales in light and dark patterns, trimmed with contrasting color, low neck and short sleeves, sizes 2 to 6 years. Prices

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HUERTA AGREES TO RESIGN

WATER WORKS MEN HOLD BIG CONVENTION

Com. Carmichael Tells of Trip to Philadelphia — Supt. Robert J. Thomas Responds to Address of Welcome — Lowell's Water Problem Her Own

Commissioner James H. Carmichael, and Robert J. Thomas, water department superintendent, returned yesterday from Philadelphia where they attended the fifth annual convention of the American Water Works association. Edward F. Saunders, fire department chief, also attended the con-

OUR NEW POST OFFICE

Congressman Rogers Confident That the Necessary Appropriation Can be Obtained in Dec.

When seen by a Sun representative this morning relative to the proposed erection of a new post office in Lowell, Congressman John Jacob Rogers gave a brief review of the situation and called attention to some recent rules adopted by the committee on public buildings and grounds which indicate that the matter will not be considered at the present session of congress. Many such propositions, however, will be proposed at the short session in December, and at that time Congressman Rogers will again bring Lowell's needs to the attention of the national legislature.

At the hearing before the committee on public buildings and grounds last February, Mr. Rogers presented the arguments in favor of a new post office on a new site in great detail, and supplemented his own views by the testimony of Maj. Robert A. Grayley, the present postmaster, Joseph A. Leane, former postmaster and Gen. Gardner W. Pearson, who was postmaster at the time the present building was erected. Since then, Mr. Rogers has kept in close touch with the committee, without the sanction of which the new post office cannot be erected. In answer to a recent letter of Mr. Rogers, Frank Clark of Florida, chairman of the committee, sent the Lowell representative a copy of some rules recently adopted for the purpose of facilitating congressional action. The drift of these rules, from which no exception has been made, is that at the present session of congress, no new business requiring a government appropriation will be considered, unless action was started at a previous session of congress. That is an insuperable bar to the aspiration for an appropriation at this time.

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DICTATOR WILL QUIT

Huerta Authorizes His Representatives to Submit His Resignation if Necessary to Settlement in Peace Negotiations—Mediators Arrive at Niagara

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Gen. Huerta has authorized the Mexican mediation delegates to submit his resignation, in case such a course is found necessary to a settlement in peace negotiations. This was stated positively in dispatches today from a thoroughly competent diplomatic source in Mexico City, to one of the foreign representatives here and confirms intimations given by friends of the delegates here yesterday.

According to this information, Huerta has authorized the delegates to discuss only the question of the Tampico conflict, leading to the American occupation of Vera Cruz. Later, it is explained, he came to recognize the necessity of a broader settlement, and then conveyed to the delegates assurance that he was prepared to step down should this course be found necessary by them.

The resolution causing chief concern to diplomats in Mexico City now is that of the form of administration to be established during the interregnum before a constitutionally elected president could assume office. No intimations concerning the name of a possible successor to Huerta were contained in the dispatch, this subject being one in which it would be necessary to consult constitutionalist and other leaders in Mexico.

Supreme Court Justice Linaur and Frederick W. Lehmann, who will represent the United States at the peace conference at Niagara Falls today, arrived here yesterday morning at 3 o'clock tomorrow morning. This arrangement will put the American delegates at the scene of the conference about the time the Mexican delegates arrive there from New York.

The information of Huerta's attitude now received through foreign diplomatic channels agrees with the view obtained by some of the close friends of the Mexicans during their stay here. According to this view the delegates realized that the present administration at Mexico City was fast going to pieces, and inevitable that Huerta give place to some other authority. It did not, however, disclose that Huerta had authorized his resignation if they considered that course necessary and this more definite phase was first made known in the despatch through diplomatic channels.

The Mexican delegates are not "theorists" but represent, broadly, the best elements in the federal districts, desirous of bringing about an orderly government in that section and throughout Mexico. In that respect their wishes are believed to correspond with the wishes and intentions of the American government.

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Second Edition

FOR LATER LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC NEWS AND TODAY'S STOCK MARKET REPORT SEE NEXT EDITION

BOY SHOT HIMSELF AFTER FAMILY QUARREL

Geo. Peseapanas, Aged 19, Attempted Suicide in Market St. — He Felt That Police Were About to Arrest Him — He Has Slight Chance of Recovery

George Peseapanas, 19 years of age, residing at 631 Market street, attempted suicide this noon when he shot himself in the left breast on the stairs leading to the cellar of his home. The suicide attempt, it is said, was made after some relatives of the young man had taken out a warrant for his arrest for attempted larceny. The young man is now at the Lowell hospital, where the physicians entertain little hope for his recovery.

Up to about a week ago he was employed at the Tremont & Suffolk mills, at which time he was discharged by his overseer. He made his home with his brother, Nicholas Peseapanas, in his, who also roomed at the same place, claims that the young man and a companion tried to rob her of her savings Saturday morning. The woman claims she was awakened at about 1:30 o'clock Saturday morning by the two young men who were in her room. She shouted for help and the two intruders went to the cellar. George remained there but his companion escaped and his acquaintances now claim he is in Manchester. George's brother was notified of the attempt at larceny and he went down into the cellar where he had a quarrel with his brother. George went out later and did not return until this forenoon at about 10 o'clock. He went directly to his father's room and slipped his revolver into his pocket. A few minutes later he went out, saying he was going to the mill for his pay, and before going he threatened to kill his brother. Frederick Teseapanas was notified of the threat and he went out to find the young man. He met him a short time later and followed him to the house and when the young man saw he was being followed by the police he went to the cellar and shot himself as stated. The ambulance was summoned in haste and the would-be suicide was hurried to the Lowell hospital, where he was placed on the operating table. At the time of going to press it was stated at the hospital that the bullet had not yet been extracted and that the young man has little chance of recovery.

George was making his home with his brother, Nicholas, and a sister, Anastasia. He is unmarried and has been residing in this city for a number of years. His brother works at the Sternumack mill.

BECKER'S PRESS AGENT

Chas. B. Plitt Corroborates the Stories of Rose That Becker Was Instigator of Murder

NEW YORK, May 18.—Charles B. Plitt, one time press agent and adviser for Charles Becker, on trial for the murder of the gambler, Herman Rosenthal, took the witness stand for the state today and corroborated in many details the stories of Jack Rose and others that Becker was instigator of the murder plot. As he testified he avoided looking at the defendant.

After Rosenthal had been murdered, the witness swore, he met Becker, who was indignant at the way the killing had been accomplished.

"What the — is the matter with Jack Rose and the bunch," Plitt quoted Becker as having said. "To pull the stunt the way they did was very bad. You would suppose it was being done for the moving pictures."

Plitt said he met Becker almost every day after Becker became head of the so-called strong arm squad.

Martin Stanton, chief counsel for the defense, objected repeatedly to District Attorney Whitman's questions to the witness, but was invariably overruled.

On July 15, the day before the murder, Plitt swore, he saw Becker at police headquarters and was told by him that arrangements had been made for getting an affidavit from Dora Giffert, Rosenthal's first wife, to be used to backen Rosenthal's character in an endeavor to offset his story to the district attorney.

"Then Becker told me," said the witness, "that he and I had to have an alibi for that night. 'Keep away from Times square tonight,' he told me."

"What's coming off?" I asked. "Never mind," said Becker. "Do as you are told. We've got to have an alibi. Tomorrow you'll know why."

Plitt said Becker sent him to the Lafayette bath to meet Harry Vallen and others, and that they went to Dora Giffert's house where Plitt personally took the woman's affidavit.

ALFRED H. HILL

Alfred H. Hill of Lowell Junction, who was thrown from his wagon late Friday night near Foster's pond, died Saturday night at 12:30 o'clock at the Lawrence General Hospital from a severe injury to his spine. The body was brought to Lowell Sunday afternoon by Undertakers W. W. Colby & Son of Lawrence.

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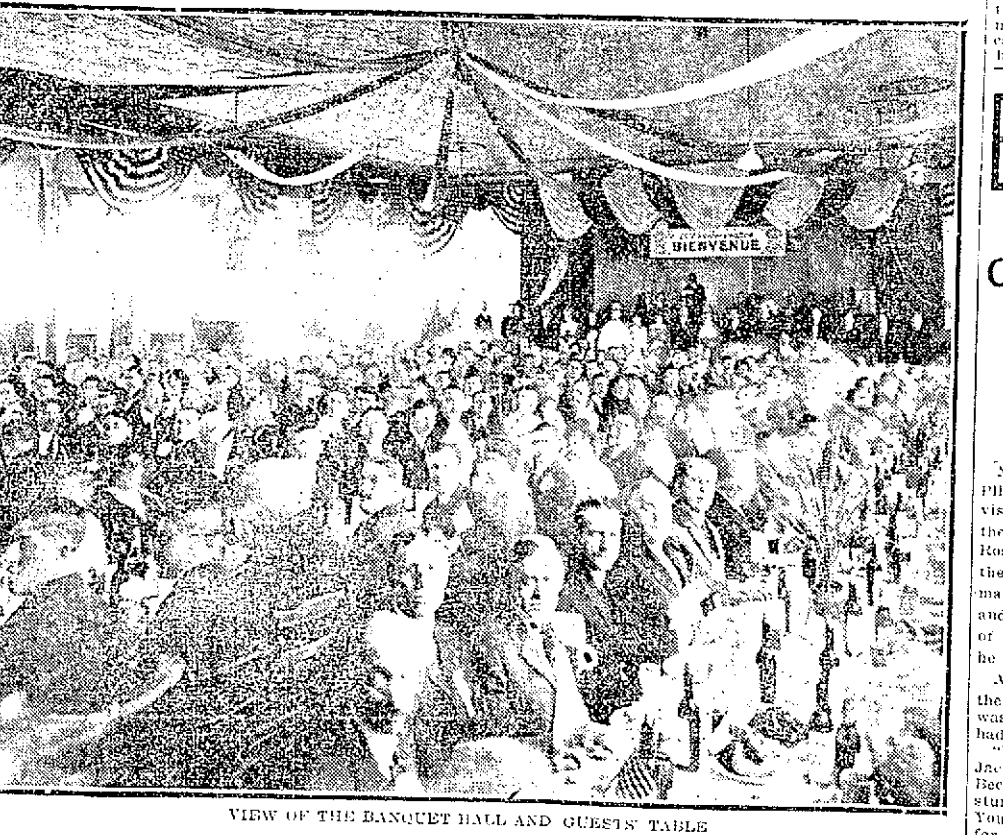
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VIEW OF THE BANQUET HALL AND GUESTS' TABLE

Celebration Attended by Gov. Walsh, Congressman Rogers, Councillor J. J. Hogan and Other Officials—Interesting Addresses Delivered

The silver jubilee of the C. M. A. C., one of the oldest French-American mutual and benefit organizations of this city, was yesterday the cause of great rejoicing among its members, who number over 500, and the observance of the day will be long remembered by all who attended. The C. M. A. C. was organized 36 years ago as a social and literary organization and 25 years ago last April 30 it was converted into a mutual and benefit association and the observance of the event was postponed until Sunday, May 17. The celebration consisted of a church service in the morning and a banquet service in the evening at a banquet

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BOY DROWNED

New Bedford Lad in Fatal Canoe Accident at Orono, Me.

ORONO, Maine, May 18.—Clifford B. Sherman, Jr., a prominent New Bedford young man and a member of the sophomore class at the University of Maine, met death in the waters of the Stillwater river here yesterday, when the canoe in which he and Omar K. Edes, a classmate, were cruising, was upset in the rapids.

The accident occurred early in the afternoon. The two college youths had proceeded but a short distance up the river and were within sight of the university buildings when the frail craft was overturned in the rapid current. Both youths, neither of whom was an expert swimmer, were soon in clutch for the overturned canoe.

Sherman missed his grasp by a few inches and went under. Edes, whose home is in Dexter, managed to hold up the canoe until he worked to within a few yards of the shore, and then waded to safety.

Sherman had come under for the last time before help reached the spot. He was the son of Clifford B. Sherman of New Bedford, the referee in bankruptcy for the New Bedford district of Bristol county. He was a member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity and one of the most popular of the students of the university. He was a graduate of New Bedford high school in the class of 1911 and had many friends in that city.

DIED CRANKING HIS AUTO

WELL KNOWN BOSTON MARKET MAN DROPPED DEAD ON THE CHARLES RIVER RESERVATION.

BOSTON, May 18.—George P. Trott, of 759 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, formerly one of the best known men in the Boston market district, dropped dead while cranking his automobile on the Charles river reservation at Audubon, where he and his wife had stopped to watch the canoists.

Mr. Trott formerly conducted an extensive produce business in the market district, but a few years ago retired because of his advanced age, being then close on to 70 years.

Yesterday afternoon he started with his wife on their customary Sunday automobile ride. When they got up to the Weston bridge they saw an unusually large number of canoists on the river, so they drove on to the reservation and stopped a while to watch them.

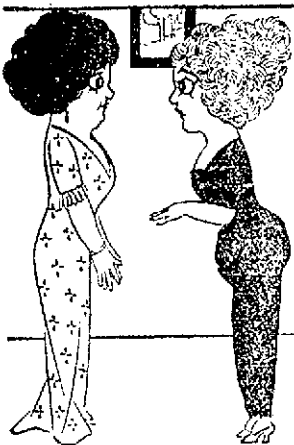
After they had been there for some time, Mr. Trott started to crank the machine and prepare to move on. Evidently it was too much of a strain for him, for he toppled over on the ground and started to moan.

Charles Robertson, a bathhouse proprietor, happened to be passing at that time and saw the man fall. He went ashore to his assistance and called on a neighbor who was one of the nearby autos and notified Bartholomew Elliott of the Metropolitan police.

Patrolman Elliott brought a stretcher and started to carry the man to the police station, a short distance away, but before they arrived he died.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

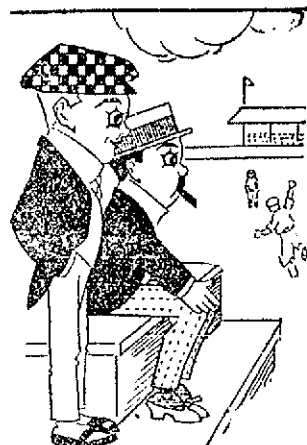
A LITTLE NONSENSE



THE MAIN THING.

Mother—Kitty, what are the intentions of that young man you are permitting to call on you so often?

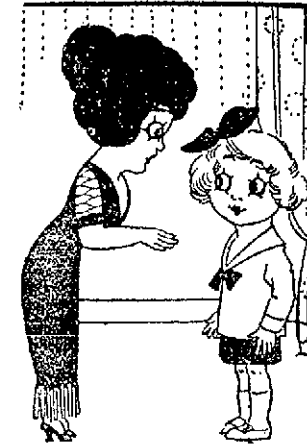
Daughter—Never mind that, mother; I know what my intentions are.



ON SOME TEAMS.

"I read somewhere that baseball was invented by the Indians."

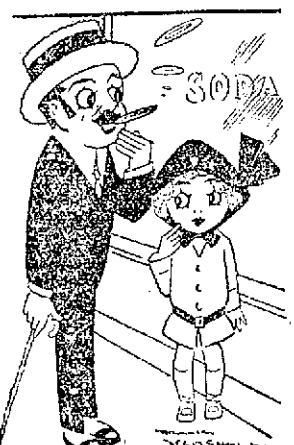
"Guess that's right; and we've got a lot of wooden ones playing it."



SUPERNATURAL.

Mother—Ethel, how could you knock your brother down. I am shocked.

Ethel (proudly)—The Lord gave me strength.



PLENTY OF TIME.

Ethel—Papa, I want an ice-cream sundae.

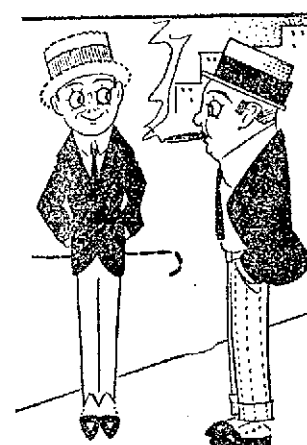
Her Pa—All right, dear, remind me of it again; this is only Tuesday.



ECONOMIC DEFENCE.

"Why don't you women dress consistently?"

"If they did, half the industries of the world would go to smash."



HOW SCANDAL GROWS.

"What's this? I hear you had your face smashed in a barber shop."

"You heard it wrong. The barber merely broke my mug."

AMUSEMENT NOTES

OPERA HOUSE

The picture drama that every theatre-goer in Lowell has been anxiously waiting for and inquiring about is to be presented at the Opera House today. Little Miss Pickford, the world's most famous and beloved picture actress, will be seen in the modern fairy play, "A Little Princess," with Lucie Arncliffe as the villainess, and including David Dumas himself. "A Little Princess" has had the most successful and longest run of any picture drama produced on the American stage at the Boston theatre, New York city, and its wonderful picture play has been presented in five parts, and is now being presented in the city of Lowell. Miss Pickford will be seen in her first efforts as the beautiful production where the little girl was found by her father, a heavy burden on her shoulders. Little Miss Pickford is the picture in which she has won thousands of new admirers each week. No other of the stars has made so many friends in this city as the star of the screen. The people are so fond of her because they truly love her.

"PETER PAN"

To properly present J. M. Barrie's play, the most thoroughly understood of the great dramatists, Barrie has said of Maude Adams that she understands

his characters better than he does himself and it is a matter of theatrical history that beginning with "The Little Minister" she has made huge successes of all of his important plays that have been seen in this country. Over the revival of Barrie's "Peter Pan" to which the actress has been devoting herself for some time, Miss Adams worked with a good deal of enthusiasm. She herself planned the production and personally looked after the carrying out of all the details. The matter of selecting the people for the various characters was done into very thoroughly and when this was completed the rehearsals became very arduous. The result of all this preliminary work is that while Barrie's wonderful work is all delightful make believe to the audience, the players feel the impression that to them it is all real as it can be. This is as Barrie wanted it and in his instructions to the players he gives them little opportunities to go astray. Among the important players in the large cast are George Hubbard, Byron Roberts, Marion Abbott, Joseph Dunn, Margaret Field and Dorothy Cheyenne. The production is a most picturesque one, and will be presented here Thursday evening, May 21. Seats now selling.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Prince Florio, the most wonderful man in the world, will entertain at

the B. F. Keith Theatre this week giving his batch of unusual stunts. Not only is Prince Florio qualified to ride a bicycle as well as most of the human experts in bicycling, but he tackles some of the most difficult of feats, including the manipulation of a wheel, the seat of which is ten feet above the wheels. He is a natural balancer, and has never had a tumble from his seat of eminence. He handles a bicycle like a professional shark, and does a dozen and one other things like the ordinary human being. It was believed by animal trainers that Consul and Prince Florio was a very highest point of animal intelligence and education. But Prince Florio has beaten them and is entitled to be called their successor.

Grace Richardson and company will give the very funny skit, called "Moving Day." It is a series of situations of the most provoking kind from start to finish. Harry Sargent, a Lowell boy, has an excellent part in it. Mr. Richardson is in the role of "Sam Hill," who, with his wife, has picked out a flat at 4 Maple street. House painters and carpenters have been at work at 4 Maple street, and have unwittingly turned the transom of the apartment upside-down. Of course, "Mr. and Mrs. Hill" think they have arrived at their new flat, and never take possession of it. The landlord is there at the time and bids them come in. He supposes they are respectively the painter and the carpenter, and he is the owner of the place. "Mr. and Mrs. Hill" all unused to such treatment, protest, quietly at first but later in a heated manner. The situation is most unusual, and not until the last minute does the house become clear, and are "Mr. and Mrs. Hill" piloted to their new flat.

Cooper and Robinson, the highest paid colored comedians in vaudeville, will enter "The Melody Men," a collection of their own, which comes here very highly recommended. The act is full of light comedy and tinkling music, and the combination is sure to please. The men are agile dancers and can throw in an acrobatic twist or two, if occasion demands it.

Sampson and Reilly, "the fashion plates of vaudeville," live up to their name in the drawing of the act, without equal among entertainers. The act is replete with scenic effects, good songs, smart patter and some highly interesting dancing.

The Graces will keep audiences guessing. One of the two is a man, although both first appear on the stage as women. The impersonator is so good in his work that nobody will be able to spot him until well near the close of the act. One good musical number and some high grade dancing will constitute the entertainment they will offer.

Isley and Kramer are makers and singers of their own songs, and the Aerial Shaves are midair performers, who do some daredevil work. The Mexican war pictures to be shown on the Hearst-Selig films will be a good, wholly new subjects. Good seats for all performances may be secured in advance at the box office, phone 28.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

"Robert Emmet," one of the greatest Irish plays ever written, will be the week's offering by the Merrimack Square Theatre players, commencing with a matinee today at 2:30 o'clock p. m. The play was penned by Brandon Tynan, renowned as the author of many of the largest successes of the present day. His dramatization of the life and work of this great Irish patriot is held by the New York Herald to be the best and greatest success of its kind since the days of Bismarck. During its original run in New York city it enjoyed a full year, and during its run on the road it enjoyed equal success. As a stock attraction it has few equals. Tuesday night will be "Emmet night" and arrangements have been made for the reception to all members of local Irish organizations. A specially arranged musical program will be given by the Merrimack Square Theatre orchestra, Phil M. Lederman leader.

In his dramatization of this really wonderful four-part play, Tynan has incorporated many interesting and thrilling scenes, while his absorbing together of the various incidents and actions of Emmet, during his career in the Emerald Isle, is said to be without an equal. He has immortalized the life's history of that great Irishman, with a sufficient touch of humor to evenly balance the more serious situations and scenes, while a pretty love story runs through it and adds materially to its worth as a play. In the character of Emmet, Walter Scott Weeks, the talented young leading man of the company, will be seen to great advantage. All of the dramatic

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power possessed by this clever actor will be brought to the forefront, and it goes without saying that he will add materially to his successes of the past. Miss Gladys Malvern, the charming leading woman of the cast, will interpret the role of "Sarah Curran," sweetheart of Emmet, while Charlie Stevens, May Hurst and Ivadoo Eddy and the other members of the company



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will be seen to advantage in their respective parts. Manager Carroll has spared neither expense or extra effort in producing the picture as near to the original production as it is possible. All of the scenes as shown in the New York presentation will be correctly and faithfully given while the production of the play itself will be carefully and cleverly portrayed.

Patrons who are anxious to secure their favorite seats should order them in advance. Telephone 2023 and have them reserved. It costs no more and will assure you of the best locations. For the week commencing Monday, May 25, the offering will be "The Yarn of the Postmaster," one of the best rural plays.

AT THE OWL THEATRE

"A wonderful character study by a wonderful actor" is the critics' remark on "A Spy for a Day," the three reel photo-feature which will be shown at the Owl today and tomorrow. In connection with five other reels of picture plays, including "Down on the Farm," a screaming farce by those clever Keystone comedians. Another play that will attract attention is "The Navy Aviator," a novel war drama of Sykes on box.

modern times. The others are all excellent subjects, and worthy of mention. Remember that the Owl shows a partial list of the best general films, or trust pictures as they are commonly called, and in connection with the feature offering and the Mutual program, why it makes it simply impossible for any other house in the city to beat the shows given. The management has the pick of the very best of the photo-play world, irrespective of make or distributor. Put them reserved. It costs no more and will assure you of the best locations. For the week commencing Monday, May 25, the offering will be "The Yarn of the Postmaster," one of the best rural plays.

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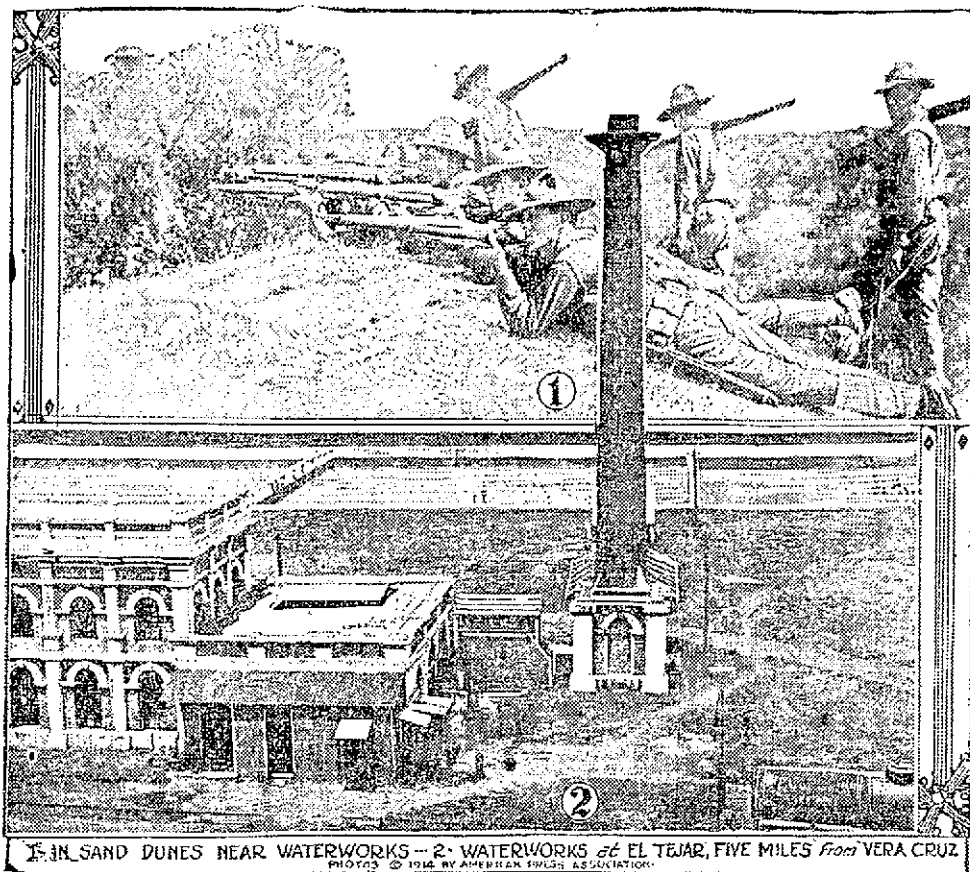
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VERA CRUZ WATERWORKS AND SOME OF THE SOLDIERS WHO ARE CLOSELY GUARDING IT



1. SAND DUNES NEAR WATERWORKS—2. WATERWORKS AT EL TEJAR, FIVE MILES FROM VERA CRUZ.

This is a birdseye view of a part of the Vera Cruz waterworks situated at El Tejar, about five miles from the city. The main power plant is shown with the tall chimney of the pumping station, and also may be seen some of the reservoirs. Marines and soldiers have drawn up a strong guard around the plant and are on constant watch against attack. The trenches in the sand dunes around the works are thick with soldiers.

O'SHAUGHNESSY TO TALK AUTOS IN COLLISION VESUVIUS CRATER WEAK

FOUNDER CHARGE D'AFFAIRES IN MEXICO WILL BE SPEAKER AT DINNER IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, May 18.—Nelson O'Shaughnessy will be the principal speaker at a dinner to be given by the members of the American Press Association here on the evening of May 26. The occasion will be known as the "O'Shaughnessy Dinner" and is intended to bring together the sons of the members of the association and to interest them in the work.

Mr. O'Shaughnessy's address will mark his last public appearance in this country since his return from Mexico. It is expected he will talk on conditions in that country.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TWO MEN IN SERIOUS CONDITION AT STAMFORD, CONN. HOSPITAL

STAMFORD, Conn., May 18.—The condition of A. D. Clark of Jaffrey, N. H., and Robert Mitchell of New York, who were injured in a collision of automobiles late last night on the highway between Riverside and Milford, was said at the Stamford hospital this morning to be very critical and little hope for the recovery of either is held out.

Clark's automobile was struck by one driven by John D. Curtis, a New York broker who lives at Greenwich, Mich. Mitchell was riding with Curtis. Clark's car was overturned and took fire, Clark being badly burned before he could be dragged from under it. Mitchell's skull is fractured.

TOP OF VOLCANO THREATENS COLLAPSE AFTER RECENT ACTIVITY—SIGHTSEERS BARRED

NAPLES, May 18.—A large part of the top of the crater of Mount Vesuvius is threatening to collapse owing to the recent activity of the volcano. A party of American sightseers yesterday were prevented from approaching the crater because of the danger of an accident.

DROWNED WHILE FISHING

BOAT CONTAINING PARTY OF FIVE CAPSIZED IN ST. ALBANS BAY AND TWO WERE DROWNED

ST. ALBANS, N. H., May 18.—A boat containing five fishermen capsized in St. Albans Bay yesterday when the anchor was thrown overboard and Alfred and William Hemmingsway were drowned. The others reached shore.

William Hemmingsway, who was 39 years old, leaves a wife and three children, one of whom was born yesterday. Alfred was 28 years old and unmarried.

TWO SMALL FIRES

A store burning at the corner of Broadway and Mt. Vernon street caught fire shortly before 8 o'clock on Saturday night and an alarm from box 16 was sounded. The blaze was extinguished and but little damage was done. A dump fire near the railroad tracks, off Blossom street, raved the night a short battle yesterday forenoon. The damage was slight.

ONLY ONE "HOMO QUININE"
Whenever you feel a cold coming on, think of the full name, LAMAXINE, HOMINO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. Groves on box. 25c.

VINCENT ASTOR

Improved in Health,
Sails From New York
With Bride

NEW YORK, May 18.—Vincent Astor, much improved in health, according to his friends, has sailed from New York with his bride for a short sea trip. On board his yacht, the Noma, Mr. and Mrs. Astor came to New York from Whitefish on Saturday and on Sunday the yacht steamed out to sea. The trip, it was said, would not extend further than Chesapeake bay.

The Noma was refurnished, new boilers installed and other improvements made early in the year as Mr. Astor had planned to spend his honeymoon on the yacht, taking a cruise to the Mediterranean. His illness, which threatened to delay the wedding, caused the trip to be postponed.

The present trip is the first the couple have taken since their wedding on April 20.

ROBBED STATE OFFICER

SILAS P. SMITH HELD UP WHILE GOING WEST FOR A PRISONER

RENO, Nev., May 18.—Silas P. Smith of the Massachusetts state police and Officer J. W. Kane of Cambridge, Mass., caused the arrest here of Harry L. Patch of Cambridge upon a fugitive warrant charging wife abandonment. Gov. Odell signed extradition papers and Saturday night Patch departed for Boston.

When Smith and Kane were nearing San Francisco on the trip to this city their train was held up, and Smith lost all his valuables, the bandit taking his watch and purse at the point of a revolver. Both officers were unarmed, their weapons being in their suitcases. While the bandit was directing his attention to other passengers, Kane picked up what he thought was his grip and hurriedly opened the bag in search for his revolver. Instead of masculine apparel, however, the grip contained woman's finery.

By the time Kane discovered his mistake the bandit had been felled by a mere crack of the dining car after the conductor had wounded him.

FARMER SHOT HIS WIFE

AS RESULT OF QUARREL AND THEN KILLED HIMSELF AT LONDONDERRY, N. H.

LONDONDERRY, N. H., May 18.—James Irving Chase, a farmer, committed suicide yesterday by discharging a shotgun at his head, after he had attempted to kill his wife. She was wounded only slightly and will recover. A quarrel is said to have preceded the shooting. Chase was 66 years of age.

FRANK P. MAPES

Polymath Who Escaped From Lowell Jail Is Still at Large—Married Three Times

According to a despatch from Boston, Frank P. Mapes, the man who escaped from the Lowell jail last Saturday forenoon, pleaded guilty to a charge of polygamy in the Somerville police court April 25, 1914, and was sentenced to the house of correction for two years.

Mapes, it is said, was married three times. He was married to his first wife, formerly named Nettie, in 1891 at Wright City, Mo. Sept. 25, 1904. They had two children. Mapes lived in Somerville before his marriage to Miss Jensen and in April, a year ago, he returned and renewed an acquaintance with Miss Eva L. Thayer of 111 Josephine avenue, Somerville. On April 20, 1913, it is alleged, Mapes went through a mock marriage ceremony with Miss Thayer in Rhode Island and upon their return to Somerville the couple were never again by a Somerville minister at the request of Miss Thayer's parents. Then they went to New York city and on April 23 Mapes left Miss Thayer after stealing her jewelry. The next day he was arrested on a charge of larceny and when arraigned in the Somerville court was found guilty.

RUSHES TO FLANER SIDE
BOSTON, May 18.—Summoned to the side of her fiancé, who is lying seriously ill in a Los Angeles hospital, Miss Charlotte Wyman of Little North, Brookline, arrived yesterday on the steamer Devonian from Liverpool and immediately left for the west on the next day of her long journey. Miss Wyman received notification of the illness of her fiancé a few hours before the Devonian sailed and barely had time to catch the ship.

AMERICANS AND MEXICANS CLASH
VERA CRUZ, May 18.—Americans and Mexicans met in friendly battle on the baseball field yesterday afternoon and the nine of the Fourth Infantry defeated the Aquilas, an amateur Mexican team, in a four inning game, 4 to 0. The grandstand was crowded with white uniformed navy and khaki-clad army officers and a large number of the Mexican population. Rooters, from which snipers did deadly work against the American forces, held hundreds of cheering natives. Preceding the international contest, the Fourth Infantry defeated a team of the engineers, 7 to 2.

OPPOSE LIGHT CONTRACT
BOSTON, May 18.—Opposition to the plan to replace all gas lamps in this city with electric lights was expressed last night by the Central Labor union. A petition which it was voted to send to Mayor Curley read:

"Demand has not been made by public for such a radical change. In every city in the country and in all cities in Europe both the electric and gas are used as a matter of safety in the event of any calamity occurring to one system. The resolution also declares 'it would be unwise to give one company a complete monopoly of all street lighting of a city the size of Boston.'"

NEW SNAPSHOTS OF AMERICAN MEDIATORS AND AIDS IN THE A. B. C. CONFERENCE



1-LEHMANN 2-LANSING 3-DODGE 4-LAMAR

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These are new pictures of the two American mediators for the A. B. C. conference and those who will aid them in representing the United States. The upper picture was taken at the department of state in Washington and shows Frederick W. Lehmann, one of the mediators; Robert Lansing, counselor of the state department; and H. Percival Dodge, secretary of the American representatives. The other picture is of Justice Joseph R. Lamar, the other mediator, as he was snapped at Washington.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

NEW ENGLAND INTERCOLLEGIATE CHAMPIONSHIP MEET AT LONGWOOD CLUB

BOSTON, May 18.—College tennis players were favored with ideal weather for the opening of the New England intercollegiate championship tournament at the Longwood Cricket club today. The colleges represented were Amherst, winner last year of the first leg on a new cup; Bowdoin, Brown College, Dartmouth, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Trinity, Wesleyan, Williams and Tufts.

BOY FELL INTO CANOE

YOUNG LAD DROPPED FROM BRIDGE RAIL UPSETTING BOAT WITH OCCUPANTS

BOSTON, May 18.—Four persons came near losing their lives in a peculiar accident at Weston bridge, Auburndale, late yesterday afternoon, when a boy playing on the bridge lost his balance and fell into a passing canoe, causing it to capsize and throw the occupants, two young women and a young man, into the water.

The boy, Arthur Higgins of 207 Auburn street, Auburndale, was playing tag on the bridge with a number of his young playmates. The game had been going on for some time, when young Higgins climbed over the rail of the bridge to try and dodge one of his young companions who was trying to tag him.

He got over the rail all right, but when trying to stretch himself so the other youngsters could not tag him, he lost his balance and fell backward toward the water.

Just at that time, Joseph Mullins of Secamore street, Waverly, came paddling his canoe, in which two young women friends were riding, from under the bridge. Higgins did not have a chance to shout, but fell on the side of the canoe causing it to tip over. A large crowd on the bridge and on the banks witnessed the accident and cried for help. Before the police could get there other canoes had come to the rescue of the party and after some difficulty managed to get them all ashore.

Three other accidents occurred on the river yesterday in which five young men were rescued, three by the Metropolitan police and the others by spectators.

BAKERS' CONVENTION

BOSTON, May 18.—The annual convention of the New England Union Bakers will be held here June 14 and 15. It was announced last night. Jos. T. Walsh, general organizer, reported to the Bakers' union that on his recent trip to Montreal he had introduced the union label in four of the largest shops operating more than 100 delivery wagons. He will leave next month for organization work on the Pacific coast.

THAT TIRED FEELING IN THE SPRING

That tired feeling that comes to you in the spring, year after year, is a sign that your blood lacks vitality, just as pimples, boils and other eruptions are signs that it is impure; and it is also a sign that your system is in a low or run-down condition in which it will be easy for you to contract disease if exposed to it.

Ask your druggist for Hood's Sarsaparilla. This old standard tried and true blood medicine relieves that tired feeling. Get Hood's today.

BANDITS ROB N. Y. THEATRE

NEW YORK, May 18.—Posing as detectives, four men gained entrance to a Broadway motion picture theatre early today, made the watchman a prisoner, handcuffed three workmen who were in the theatre and blew open the safe in the box office, obtaining \$10,000. The robbers were in the theatre building three hours and compelled the watchman to wind the watchman's clocks at various points in the theatre at the proper time so that no suspicion as to their presence would be noted on the outside.

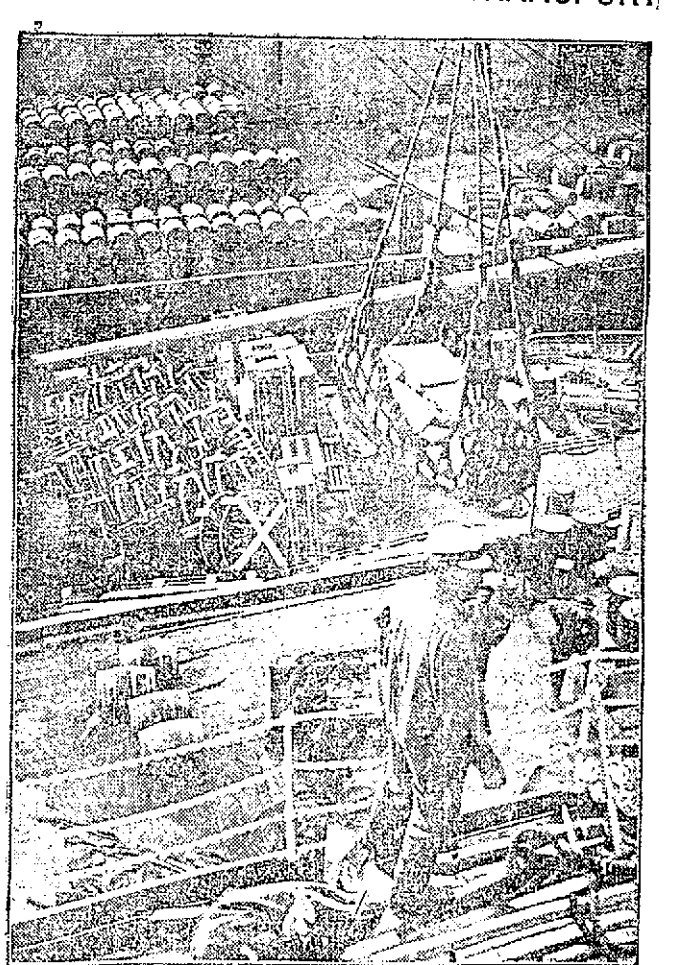
CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—N. A. Richardson of San Francisco is the socialist party nominee for governor of California, it was announced here today. He was chosen by votes taken in the various "locals" of the party.

BODY OF MME. NORDICA

BATAVIA, Java, May 18.—The body of the late Madame Lillian Nordica was shipped today on board the steamer Van Cloon for Singapore, from which port it will be taken to the United States.

WAR SUPPLIES FOR SOLDIERS AT VERA CRUZ LOADED ON TRANSPORT



LOADING WAR SUPPLIES AT NEW YORK FOR VERA CRUZ.

NEW YORK, May 18.—War supplies are being rushed to Vera Cruz, Mexico, by the United States government. The accompanying picture shows ammunition, wagon wheels and camp materials being loaded on a transport. The war department is losing no opportunity to fully prepare for war in Mexico should the mediation plans fail.

Coffee Finds its Place

The Literary Digest, of March 28, 1914, quoting the New York World, says:

"Cocain and its allied intoxicants appear to be about the cheapest things in the market. They are seemingly cheaper than whiskey, cheaper than beer, cheaper in proportion to effects than tea or coffee."

The best teaching of today is distinctly against the use of coffee, tea and other drugs, and drug-bearing beverages—especially among the young. It is well established that headache, nervousness, indigestion, sleeplessness, and other aches and pains are commonly caused by coffee drinking.

People are becoming alive to this fact and thousands have quit coffee and now use

POSTUM

A pure food-drink.

Made of whole wheat and a small per cent. of molasses, Postum is a rich, flavoury beverage much resembling high-grade Java in taste, but is absolutely free from the coffee-drug, caffeine, or any other harmful substance.

Postum now comes in two forms:

Regular Postum—must be well boiled—15c and 25c packages.

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The cost per cup of both kinds is about the same.

"There's a Reason" for POSTUM

—sold by Grocers everywhere.

WAH HOO-EDFORM'ADOOS

WHITE HOUSE HONEYMOONERS
DISCOVERED AND CHASED BY
DARTMOUTH STUDENTS

WINDSOR, Vt., May 18.—After successfully evading recognition and the consequent fuss and flutter all the way from New York, Secretary and Mrs. Wm. G. McAdoo were recognized and given a hearty reception when they arrived here Saturday noon, by a group of Dartmouth students.

The latest White House bride and groom were on their way to Canada to complete their interrupted honey-

moon. They left New York on the Friday midnight White Mountain express and succeeded in silencing the porter so effectively that no one suspected the identity of the quiet couple in the stateroom apartment until they alighted from the train here.

Some discerning eye among a group of students on the station platform recognized them as they stepped down, despite the fact that the secretary of the treasury wore an old overcoat and slouch hat and was loaded down with two heavy suitcases.

Three cheering cheers immediately announced the fact to the assembled crowd. The cabinet matron smiled in pretty surprise and the secretary doffed his hat with a good natured smile at the college youths and, lifting the suitcases, he and Mrs. McAdoo set out on foot up the hill.

KILLED WHEN MONOPLANE CAPSIZED

FRANKFORT ON THE MAINE, Germany, May 18.—Another fatal accident occurred today in connection with the Prince Henry aviation competition, which started yesterday at Darmstadt. Lieut. Kolbe, who was flying as a passenger with Lieut. Kolbe, was killed when their monoplane was capsized by gusty winds. Lieut. Kolbe escaped with slight injuries by jumping before the machine struck the ground.

Lieut. Mueller, who was the first victim after the start of the contest was killed yesterday.

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3500 YARDS OF

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Worth 50c to 75c

The reason for these grades of Ratine selling at such a reduced price is: They are mill remnants. But they can be easily matched up in Dress or Suit Patterns. They are in plain colors and a good variety of checks, stripes and large plaids; the width is from 27 in. to 31 in.

RATINE—Printed and plain color Ratine, all new spring patterns, good quality, usually sold on the piece at 40c yard. At 12 1-2c Yard

SILK ZEPHYR GINGHAM—Fine Silk Zephyr Gingham in hand, some patterns and new colorings. 10c value, at 12 1-2c Yard

MERCERIZED POPLIN—Mercerized Poplin and plain color, fine quality, 10c value, at 12 1-2c Yard

MERCERIZED SUITING—Fine Mercerized Suiting, in large assortment of patterns, 15c value, at 12 1-2c Yard

MARQUINETTE—Satin Stripe Marquette, very handsome patterns, half price. 15c value, at 12 1-2c Yard

SILK MUSLIN—Plain color and printed Silk Muslin, very fine quality, usually sold on the piece at 10c yard, at 12 1-2c Yard

RIPPLETTE—Remnants of Blended and Colored Ripplette, 15c value, at 10c Yard

Ready-to-Wear Section

MERRIMACK ST. BASEMENT

NIGHT GOWNS—Ladies' Gowns, made of very fine nainsook in about 15 different styles, nicely trimmed with fine lace and embroidery. \$1.00 value, at 69c Each

CHILDREN'S DRESSES—Children's Dresses made of fine galatea, percale and gingham, in latest styles and nicely trimmed, sizes 6 to 14 years. Special value at 98c Each

CORSET COVERS—Ladies' 25c Corset Covers, made of fine nainsook and well trimmed. Special at 15c Each

HOUSE DRESSES—About 20 dozen House Dresses, made of good percale and well made, odd lots of fine \$1.00 quality, to close at 65c Each

Men's Furnishing Section

BASEMENT

MEN'S HOSE—25 dozen fine Mercerized Hose, black and colors, double sole and high spliced heel. Only 12 1-2c Pair

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS—Men's Shirts, made of fine printed chevrons and percale in very neat patterns, light and medium colors, at 48c Each

MEN'S WORKING SHIRTS

To close, about 30 dozen Men's Working Shirts, odd lots from 48c quality; made of very good material. Only 35c Each

On Sale Tuesday Morning

2000 YARDS OF

Fine Embroidery Flouncing

At 59c Yard

\$1.00 Value.

SALE IN PALMER ST. BASEMENT

FINE PORTUGUESE EVENT

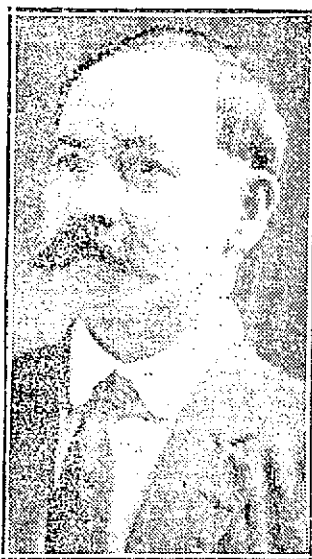


REV. BISHOP DA SILVA

Feast of Santo Christo Celebrated
by Beautiful Religious Ceremonies and Impressive Parade

The Portuguese people of the city of Lowell have every reason to be proud of the observance of their annual feast of Santo Christo as it was held yesterday for it was in every sense a beautiful and impressive ceremony or rather a series of ceremonies creating reverence for a good and patriotic faith. Even the stranger who was unfamiliar with the significance of the occasion to the people of the Portuguese colony, the parade through the streets was a spectacle of rare beauty. Magnificently dressed in white, with flowing robes, of such grace as witnessed in foreign cities, and with the beautiful music of the church and the band, the feast of Santo Christo was being celebrated by the little child to the old man, by the soldier bearing arms and by the clergy of St. Anthony's in their canonical robes. The parade, the church ceremony and the religious observance of the day, the feast of Santo Christo was being celebrated by the little child to the old man, by the soldier bearing arms and by the clergy of St. Anthony's in their canonical robes. The parade, the church ceremony and the religious observance of the day, the feast of Santo Christo was being celebrated by the little child to the old man, by the soldier bearing arms and by the clergy of St. Anthony's in their canonical robes.

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MANUEL P. SOUSA,
of the CommitteeMANUEL M. SANTOS,
President Michaelense Council

The Michaelense council had charge of arrangements, and it was expected that this society in particular would be represented from cities all over the state. Council No. 10 of Lawrence attended, but the representation from other points was slight. Despite this, however, the parade was a great success, making up in variety and the beauty of its various sections what it lacked in numbers.

St. Anthony's church and the parochial residence were beautifully decorated for the occasion and the Portuguese and American flags fluttered all through the parish. A reviewing stand was placed on the lawn of the church which was also decorated with lanterns and floral emblems. The preliminary parade formed on the South Main street, after 10 o'clock and marched to St. Anthony's church where solemn high mass was celebrated by Rev. C. W. Webb of the Tewksbury novitiate, assisted by Rev. Frs. Fallon and Lotus. Rev. J. P. Terzani of Fall River was master of ceremonies and the sermon was preached by Rev. Hon. da Silva, resident bishop and pastor of St. Anthony's. Mayor Murphy was seated in front of the altar throughout the mass. A Korinath festival mass was sung by the church choir, under the direction of Miss Lulu Ginty, who was at the

leading a number of young men who played airs of the Azores on mandolins and guitars. The Lawrence standard bearers were Joao P. Silva and Manoel Andre.

Next followed many of the officials of the Michaelense society in carriages. Officials of the following councils also rode.

Council No. 1, of Boston, Frank Linhares; Council No. 3, Fall River, Alipio Galvam; Council No. 5, Providence, R. I., Joao J. Mello; Council No. 4, New Bedford, Teodoro T. Ponto; Council No. 17, Fall River, M. Itogo, and Council No. 18, Fall River, Antonio Cabral and Cristofano Botelho.

After parading through the principal streets of the city the parade headed for Old Fellows hall, Middlesex street, where a sumptuous banquet was served.

Many appropriate musical numbers were given and speeches were made by the following: Rev. Hon. da Silva, Mayor Dennis J. Murphy, Manoel M. Santos, chairman of the reception committee; Supreme President Syriaco J. Rabello of Taunton, Supreme Secretary G. G. Arruda of Taunton, and the supreme directors, Drs. A. S. Lima and Caetano M. Furiado and Julio R. Maderos, all of Fall River.

Following is the committee that carried the splendid affair to such a successful conclusion:

President, Manoel M. Santos; secretary, Frank Lavares; treasurer, Manoel V. Linhares; Manoel F. Sousa, Victorino F. Foussea, Antonio C. Branco, Manoel C. Sousa, Jose B. Pereira, John Cabral, Antonio Branco, Jr., Vicente Silva, Anthony J. Pacheco and Jose P. Branco.

NEW SANITATION CLUB

WILL REMEDY CONDITIONS IN
JAILS, PRISONS AND CHEAP
LODGING HOUSES

BOSTON, May 18.—An organization for the purpose of remedying sanitary conditions in public places such as jails, prisons and cheap lodging houses has just been formed in this city. It is called the Boston Sanitation club and is headed by George W. Morry.

The first step to be taken by the club is to have improvements made at the city tombs, according to Mr. Morry.

"I found water scarce at the tombs and there was a very disagreeable odor there that was very annoying," declared Mr. Morry, who told yesterday of his experience at that place.

THROWN FROM SEAT

Woman Knocked Off Car by Auto and
Badly Injured at Brockton Yesterday

BROCKTON, May 18.—When the automobile of Selectman F. H. Whitmarsh of Bridgewater collided with an electric car on Main street early this evening, Mrs. Alice M. Washburn, 65, was thrown from her seat in front of the car and run over as the automobile proceeded on its way.

The electric car was driven by Motorist Harry Swartz. The impact of the heavy automobile against the trolley car was so violent that Mrs. Washburn was thrown several feet in the air. She is on the dangerous list at the Brockton hospital.

EXCELLENT ENTERTAINMENT

By Harvard Musical Clubs at Rogers
Hall Saturday Night—Lowell Boy
Leader of Glee Club

The attraction at Rogers Hall, Saturday night, was a concert by the Harvard Musical clubs and the program was thoroughly enjoyed by the young students and their friends. The leader of the glee club, Lowell Boy, was one that abounded with musical bits and features that appealed to the college student. The following ladies were the patronesses:

Mrs. Freeman Bill
Mrs. C. T. Billings
Mrs. E. N. Burke
Mrs. A. C. Burdick
Miss Cumbeck
Mrs. F. E. Dunbar
Mrs. L. Faulkner
Mrs. F. Fisher
Mrs. Mary Holden
Mrs. Frank Howe
Mrs. L. Huntress
Mrs. E. N. Irish
Mrs. C. W. Irish
Mrs. L. MacBrayne
Mrs. J. V. Meigs
Mrs. J. J. Meigs
Mrs. J. A. Nesmith
Mrs. J. A. Nesmith
Mrs. M. Nourse
Mrs. M. Nourse
Mrs. O. F. Parsons
Mrs. O. F. Parsons
Mrs. Percy Parker
Mrs. B. Pillsbury

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The Pictures

we offer you are unusual in artistic merit. They are attractive and refined. We have used such admirable taste in selecting them for our patrons that you cannot go wrong, if you choose any one of them.

Come In and See

PRINCE'S

106-108 MERRIMACK STREET

REFUGEES NEAR DEATH

Tell of Feeling Against Americans
When News of Capture of Vera
Cruz Was Reported

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Stories told today by the 90 refugees who arrived here yesterday on the British steamer Cetriana from the west coast of Mexico, supplied additional details of their escape from Manzanillo, Mexico. But for the timely arrival of the United States cruiser Raleigh as the Cetriana was preparing to sail, refugees expressed the belief that the Mexicans would have destroyed the steamer and wreaked vengeance on the Americans aboard.

The Cetriana, commanded by Lieut. Edward J. Minister, British naval reserve, had taken on at San Blas, April 26, a party of seventeen Americans from the inland town of Tepic. This party was being held as prisoners and it was difficult for Lieut. Minister to obtain their release.

The vessel proceeded to Manzanillo, arriving there April 27, and was permitted to lie up at the wharf and take on board 27 refugees, who had been under the protection of the German consul. Feeling was running high against the Americans. News of the occupation of Vera Cruz by the United States had begun to trickle out to the west coast and it was generally believed that war had been declared.

The day after the Cetriana's arrival it was discovered that the dock during the night had been soaked with oil and mined with dynamite. Lieut. Minister promptly armed his passengers and kept close watch. Shortly after midnight the Mexican steamer Luella, loaded with inflammable material, steamed up and dropped anchor within

10 feet of the Cetriana. The Mexican troops Manuel Herreres and General Pasquale were observed to take such positions in the stream as almost to block access by the British steamer.

On board the American brig Geneva were four American refugees who had been picked up at San Blas. These Lieut. Minister was trying to get aboard the Cetriana.

On the 28th the cruiser Raleigh was sighted. From the decks of the Cetriana great commotion was noted ashore. Mexicans ran down on the deck, poured more oil on the wharf and the refugees believed they intended destroying the steamer before the Raleigh could come to the rescue.

Lieut. Minister by skillful maneuvering, worked his vessel clear of the impending craft surrounding it. Observing the departure of the Cetriana, Capt. W. H. Ferguson of the Geneva assembled his crew and the four refugees were put into small boats and placed aboard the British vessel. The Herreres weighed anchor and bore down on the Cetriana. It was believed for the purpose of ramming her. This ship had on board a number of convicts who tried to take advantage of the excitement to escape. They jumped into the water near the Cetriana and the steamer's passengers were endangered by the fusillade of rifle shots fired at the swimmers by soldiers on the Cetriana.

Before the Herreres could reach the Cetriana the Raleigh came up and at once dominated the situation. The Cetriana then proceeded.

AMONG THE TOILERS

Matthew Shaughnessy, who is employed at the Middlesex mills will start June 1 on a visit to relatives in Dublin, Ireland.

James Kelly, a prominent employee of the Biscow Carpet Co., is spending a two weeks' vacation in Newburyport, Mass. He writes that he is enjoying himself immensely.

Henry Costello, employed at the American Hosiery and Knitting company is some parliamentarian. He knows Cushing's manual from cover to cover.

Fred McCarthy, who is employed at the Massachusetts mills will spend his vacation at Nantasket beach the first two weeks of July.

The "Sandals," a club composed of young people that are employed in many great industries of Lowell opened their camp at Long Pond, Sunday afternoon.

The baseball team representing the Lawrence hosiery would like to arrange games with the Tremont and Suffolk, P. O. South Ends, and the Y. M. C. A. Address, Manager, Lawrence hosiery.

Amy Kelly and Amy Breen, two popular employees of the Massachusetts mills will start soon after the Fourth on a two weeks' trip to the White Mountains. They will visit friends.

Henry Drury, a prominent employee of the American Hosiery and Knitting company, entertained the boys royally Sunday afternoon, at his camp on the banks of the picturesque Concord river.

John McManis, who is employed at the Boston and Maine repair shops, will bring his orchestra to Salisbury beach May 26, to open a summer engagement. This orchestra played at a summer resort in the south last summer.

The following unions will meet this week:
Monday night—Iron Molders union, 22 Middle street.
Tuesday night—Building Laborers union, 22 Middle street; Carpenters union, No. 44, Street; Industrial Workers of the World, 42 Church street.

Wednesday night—Carpenters union (French), No. 10, Church street; International Union of Steam Engineers, Local 152, 54 Central street.
Thursday night—Carpenters district council, Rogers hall; Cotton Weavers union, 32 Middle street; Trades and Labor council, 32 Middle street.

Friday night—Street Railway Employees union, Local 551, Rogers hall; Cotton Mule Spinners union, 22 Middle street; Electric Workers union, 127 Central street; Lowell Plasterers union, 22 Middle street; Patternmakers union, Old Fellows hall, 31 Middlesex street.

Discussed Convention Plans
The convention committee of the Lowell Typographical union having charge of all arrangements for the coming convention of the New England Typographical union, to be held in this city during the week of June 22, held a special meeting Saturday evening at which many important questions were considered.

Fred A. Speed reported for the publicity bureau, stating that the newspapers were manifesting considerable interest throughout the entire district. He also reported that the contract for the souvenir program had been awarded the Courier Citizen Co.

Harry Buzley reported for the banquet committee to the effect that the D. L. Page Co. will have charge of the D. L. Page Co.

John V. Donohue reported that Gov. Walsh, Hon. John Jacob Rogers, Mayor Murphy and several other prominent speakers had accepted invitations to speak at the banquet which will be given in Prescott hall.

Gabriel Andin reported favorably on Canobie lake entertainments. C. Percy Foster and J. Edward Turnbull reported that the souvenir program will be the best typographically ever issued in Lowell.

Cleveland K. Nobles reported for the musical features, stating that the best available talent had been secured. Nathaniel W. Matthews, Jr., reported for the latter committee. He stated that the bulk of this year will be far ahead of the average convention badge.

The Richardson hotel was decided

THE SUN
IS ON SALE
IN THE
NORTH STATION
BOSTON

OLDEST LIVING PRINTER

John C. Milne of Fall River News
Retires on His 90th Birthday—
His Brilliant Career

FALL RIVER, May 18.—After 82 years of continuous and conscientious labor as a printer, John C. Milne retires today, on his 90th birthday, from the publication of the Fall River Evening News, in the foundation of which he was a partner 60 years ago. Mr. Milne, at his retirement, is probably the oldest active printer in the world, both in years and service. The record of his connection with the printing trade, as compositor and publisher for more than four-score years, probably has never been surpassed in newspaper history.

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- Ladies' Tan Burson Hose.....25c Pair
- Ladies' White Burson Hose.....25c Pair
- Ladies' Black Lisle Fashioned Burson Hose, double soles.....38c Pair
- Ladies' White Lisle Fashioned Burson Hose, double soles.....38c Pair
- Ladies' White Lisle Fashioned Burson Hose, double soles.....38c Pair
- Ladies' Black Silk Lisle Burson Fashioned Hose 50c Pair
- White Silk Lisle Burson Fashioned Hose, double soles.....50c Pair
- Ladies' Burson Hose, out sizes in all black or black with white sole.....25c Pair

West Section

Left Aisle

Children's White Dresses—Specials



Our selections of the prettiest "get up" for the children's wardrobe appeal to all prudent buyers.

Children's White Dresses—Made of finest muslin, ham-burg and lace trimmed; sizes 2 to 6 years; regular \$1.50. Sale price.....\$1.00

Children's White Muslin Dresses of fine quality, flounce, Skirt with lace insertion, waist of combined embroidery and lace; sizes 2 to 6 years; regular \$5.00 value. Sale price.....\$3.95

Children's Wash Dresses—Made of gingham, chambray and percales in light and dark patterns, trimmed with contrasting color, low neck and short sleeves, sizes 2 to 6 years. Prices
50c, 75c, 98c, \$1.50, \$1.98

Children's Rompers—Made of chambray, seersucker and madras, pink, and white stripe, blue and white stripe, plain blue and pink, and all white, low neck and short sleeves, ages 6 months to 3 years.....39c, 50c, 75c, \$1.25

West Section

Bridge

D. Milne, who has been connected with the News since July 1877, as reporter and managing editor, and for several years as part owner. He will now have a half ownership with Frank S. Almy, who succeeded to the half interest held by his father, Franklin L. Almy, upon the latter's death, June 12, 1912. Mr. Almy has been connected with the business office since July, 1895. He succeeded his father as business manager.

John C. Milne was born in Scotland, May 18, 1824. He was the son of Sergeant John Cruickshank, paymaster of a British regiment stationed in Scotland, and Anne Milne, daughter of Rev. John Milne, a Baptist clergyman. His parents died when he was three or four years of age, and he was brought up by his grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. John Milne, who formally adopted him after coming to the United States. He received his primary education in a private school at Glasgow. With his grandparents and an uncle, young Milne came to Pictou, Nova Scotia, in 1832. There, at the age of eight years, he went to work in the printing office of an uncle, making his advent in a trade that was to become his life work. A keen mind and a natural aptitude for the mechanical part of the trade enabled him to develop into a rapid and accurate compositor in a comparatively brief time.

Three years later, in 1835, came the only lengthy interruption that was made in his life as a printer for more than four score years. With his grandparents and an uncle he came to Fall River, where other uncles had made homes already. No opportunity to continue in the printing trade presented itself, and he secured work in the blue eye house of the calico print works, conducted on Pocasset street by Andrew Robinson & Son. His pay was \$2.25 a week. The hours were from 5 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock at night. He remained in the print works for three years.

Almost as remarkable as his record in the newspaper field is that of Mr. Milne's connection with the local banking business. When the Pocasset National Bank was organized in Tiverton, in May, 1854, he was one of its first board of directors. He continued in that position for 43 years, or until the time that the bank lost its identity in a merger with the Massachusetts National Union banks, forming the present Massachusetts-Pocasset bank. Mr. Milne has lived to see the other members of two boards of directors pass away, as well as the two treasurers and two cashiers. The Pocasset started at the corner of South Main and Rodman streets, then a part of Tiverton, with Oliver Chase as its president, and Samuel Hathaway, Weaver Osborn, John C. Milne and William H. Taylor of Fall River and Moses Baker and Charles H. Burpee of Tiverton as directors. Mr. Milne was the youngest director.

Five years after the Weekly News was begun, on June 23, 1849, its youthful junior publisher was married to Miss Abby Ann Gilbert, daughter of George W. Gilbert and Betsey Howland, of this city. If both live until the 23rd of June next they will have completed 65 years of married life. They have had nine children, four of whom died in early life. The surviving children are: Mrs. Mary J. Fenner, Joseph D. Milne, Mrs. Charles H. Carr, Mrs. Edward B. Remington and Mrs. James A. Chadwick. There are eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

FAST POLO GAME

International Polo Team Easily Defeated Second Team

NEW YORK, May 17.—With the aid of Hal Phillips, who appears to have won the fourth place on the international polo team, the "big three"—J. M. Waterbury, D. Milburn and L. Waterbury—yesterday easily defeated the second team by the score of 10 to 5, in the fastest game of polo seen in the east this season. A crowd of more than a thousand polo enthusiasts saw the match and the sensational playing of Milburn, Captains Waterbury and the general team work of the first team amply rewarded them for the journey to Waterbury.

The second team failed to score until the fourth period, after the "big three" and Phillips had a lead of seven goals. Mounted on Conover, a Texas pony, which has seen service in all of the international matches, Captain Waterbury made goals from the throw-in three shots. His time of 14 seconds made this goal the fastest so far recorded this season. The next practice game will be played tomorrow on the Meadowbrook field.

BOY RUN DOWN BY AUTO

BOSTON YOUNG MAN NEARLY KILLED BY RACING MACHINE—POLICE MAKE CHASE

BOSTON, May 18.—Samuel Rodman, of the most widely known newsboys of the city, barely escaped death early yesterday morning when a high powered racing machine, bearing down on Columbus avenue, ran him down at the corner of Barnum street and then made off at terrific speed and eluded a car filled with police officers which started in pursuit.

Rodman is lying seriously injured at the City hospital, suffering from broken bones and a score of wounds, while the police of all New England are searching for the car. The machine is believed to be owned by a Canton man and arrests are expected today. Two persons, at least, are under surveillance.

During the pursuit of the car by the police, several persons had narrow escapes from death, including four officers who sought to stop it, while the driver of one of H. P. Hood & Sons' milk wagons was thrown from his seat when the racing machine grazed his outfit in trying to round a corner.

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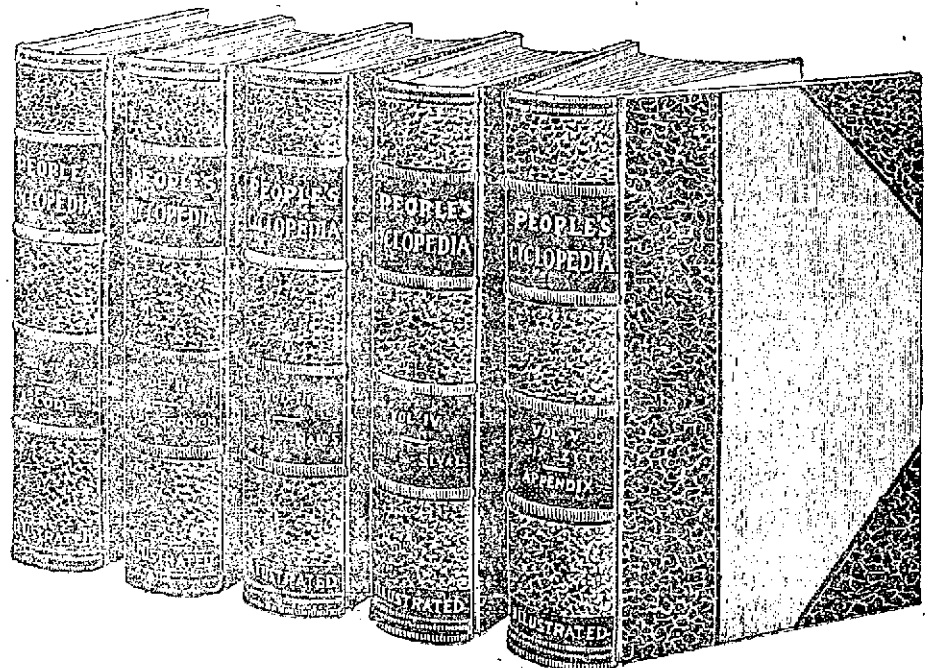
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SHEEP AND WOOL

Conference Called by
Secretary of Agriculture
for June 2

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—The secretary of agriculture has issued a call for a public conference of persons interested in the sheep and wool industry, to be held in Washington, June 2, 3, and 4. Among the topics suggested by the secretary for discussion are the manufacturing value of American wools; the improvement of farm and ranch methods of handling wool; the possible adaptation of foreign methods to American conditions; the standardization of the wool clip, and the prevention of damage by dogs and predatory animals.

The high quality of American wools, when properly put up, is generally recognized by our manufacturers, but as little attention is paid to the care of American wool at shearing time, that it usually sells for less than its real

value, and frequently suffers by comparison with foreign wool. Such practices as the indiscriminate packing of wool in bales, and the use of machinery for marking sheep, cause a really unnecessary expense and loss in manufacturing, which has been variously estimated at from 5 to 20 per cent of the retail value of the wool, and for which the producer must pay by being compelled to accept a reduced price.

The sheep and wool industry by producing muttons in the western range states, and by doing in the farm states, will be a very important subject for discussion at the conference. In some western states the number of predatory animals appears to be decreasing, but in others these pests are increasing in spite of growing settlements, causing a loss of 10 per cent of the sheep and lambs in some sections. Dogs in farm states cause irregular losses among flocks of sheep, amounting in some cases to complete extermination. There is no doubt that the lack of control of dogs in farm states

is the principal hindrance to the development of the sheep industry in these regions, and a survey of this situation recently made by the department of agriculture indicates that if there were proper control of dogs, the sheep population of the farm states could be doubled, without displacing any other animals on farms. The effect of such an increase on the country's meat supply would be pronounced, as sheep in farm states are raised principally as meat producers.

Various agencies have been for some time engaged in propaganda work to effect an improvement in wool handling and sheep husbandry, and this conference is called by the secretary of agriculture to co-ordinate such efforts, and give an opportunity for the formulation of policies of national scope, which will tend to place the sheep and wool industry on a more stable basis.

Much interest has already been manifested, and a large attendance of representative wool growers, sheep breeders, manufacturers and others interested in the sheep industry, is expected. The animal husbandry division of the bureau of animal industry, has made an educational collection of wools and wool fabrics, which shows the advantages of proper preparation of wool for market, and market requirements. This collection will be on exhibition during the conference.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LOOPS THE LOOP

British Statesman Took
Wonderful Chances in
the Air

LONDON, May 18.—Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, yesterday looped the loop six times over Sheerness harbor in a monoplane driven by Gustave Hamel, the English aviator.

ADMIRAL DRURY DEAD

LONDON, May 18.—Admiral Sir Charles Carter Drury died today at the age of 93. He was born at Rothsay, New Brunswick, and entered the British navy in 1829. From 1893 to 1908 he was second sea lord of the admiralty.

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4 SURVIVORS PICKED UP

U. S. Revenue Cutter Seneca arrives at Halifax With Survivors of Third Columbian Boat

HALIFAX, N. S., May 18. The United States revenue cutter Seneca arrived here today with the four survivors of the burned steamer Columbian when she picked up three small boats 40 miles south of Sable Island at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The condition of the men was pitiful but it was believed that they will live.

A wireless message from Capt. Johnston of the Seneca yesterday told meagrely of the rescue. Little could be gained from the sailors from their experience beyond the fact that they had been tossed helplessly by the seas since May 4 when the fire broke out on the Columbian and drove them into their small boats. There were 15 men in the craft when it went over the sinking side of the Columbian. Eleven companions died of hunger and exposure and the four emaciated men taken aboard the revenue cutter were in a state of delirium.

The Columbian belonged to the Devereux line and was en route from Antwerp to New York with a miscellaneous cargo when the fire started. The crew began to panic on May 4. The crew had come on board the ship three days before the fire. The ship was carrying a cargo of coal, oil, and other supplies. The fire broke out in the engine room and spread rapidly. The ship was abandoned and the crew was forced to take to the boats. The survivors were found by the Seneca and taken aboard. They were in a state of shock and exhaustion. The Seneca is now en route to New York with the survivors.

More Dead Than Alive

Hope for the dead had been abandoned when the message from the Seneca was received. The revenue cutter was ordered to go to Halifax for the survivors. The men on the boats were in a state of panic. They were hungry and thirsty. They were in a state of delirium. The Seneca arrived at Halifax at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The survivors were taken aboard and the ship was ordered to go to New York. The condition of the men was pitiful but it was believed that they will live.

Lived on Hard Tack

They left their ship in a panic, and there was no opportunity to supplement the food stored on board. A small cake of water stowed in the stern was soon exhausted but the men survived. The men on the boats were in a state of panic. They were hungry and thirsty. They were in a state of delirium. The Seneca arrived at Halifax at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The survivors were taken aboard and the ship was ordered to go to New York. The condition of the men was pitiful but it was believed that they will live.

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Church Service

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The Survivors

Those who survived were Chief Officer Teitel, Steward Oscar Kendall and Peter Delanger and Fireman Ludwig. Teitel, an Englishman, 22 years of age, and first officer of the Columbian, today said: "I had just got on the Columbian's bridge at midnight May 3 with no sleep whatever of fire on board when there came a series of explosions. One, I think, was a bunker explosion and the ship was almost rent in parts. Just before that I had noticed an odor of something burning and I was about to make an examination. There were explosions among the cargo and I think the first explosion was in No. 2 hatch. There was no time to get anything. Instruments, provisions or clothing and the men had to tumble into the boats in quick time. A strong southerly wind was blowing.

Saw Steamer's Lights

"In the early morning we saw a steamer's lights but she passed by some distance off. We judged that it was the Olympia. We had no dry matches with which to light signals, the sea having washed over the boat and wet everything. All hands shouted but of course that was useless. We saw a couple of other steamers while drifting but evidently they like specks on the sea, were not seen.

"Days after day passed and the exposure began to tell on the men. We had preserved some cracker crumbs but the last of this was served out yesterday morning. For several days we had been eating leather.

"The dead were lowered to the sea. When we saw the Seneca three of the men tried to catch her but while I was at the helm the rowers were so weak that we made little headway."

Feet Badly Frozen

The men were so badly frozen that it was necessary to amputate them. The feet of the other three men were badly swollen but it is likely that they will lose them. The survivors were removed to the Victoria General Hospital.

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was "sans peur et sans reproche," and who, in the darkest hours of the revolution, was the inspiration of Washington and of his exhausted troops.

Those two portraits—the only ones in the chamber—seem to symbolize the spirit of this, our country. The United States holds out to those beyond its borders a welcoming hand and a promise that whether its citizens be, like Washington, of native birth, or, like Lafayette, of foreign stock, the reward and the renown shall depend solely upon the services he is able to render in the sphere to which he is summoned. Whenever that hand is summoned, the truly worthy immigrant is turned back at our gates, then indeed will this land of opportunity have forgotten its heritage and we, the lessons of our fathers.

Yesterday afternoon I attended the unveiling in Washington of a splendid statue in memory of another adopted



MRS. ISIDORE J. TRUDEL

son who fought valiantly through the long years of the Revolution—Fighting Lord Barry, the father of the American navy. As I sat there, the glory came to my mind. "How many of the statues in Washington are raised in honor of men of foreign birth?" So I looked up the list of statues and found that in all there are 29 men honored by statues in Washington. Very few of them were born in this country. The first of them was George Washington, a 20-year-old French lad from Philadelphia. The first Frenchman to die was Daniel Hagerman, a 21-year-old Frenchman who died in the battle of the Clouds. The first American to die was Maurice Welch who died doing his duty only last Tuesday. He was a native of our neighboring town of Andover. Both he and Hagerman were of that sturdy Irish stock that fought with Sheridan. And there were Prussians and Irish and Scotchmen, offshoots of those who fought under Stonewall, Meisenberg and Hoescheper, the Jews, children of a people without a country, but now sons claimed by a nation. So the list runs on.

There are the men whom our country has turned to in the past and will turn to yet more in the future, these are the men from whom the warp and woof of our destinies will be spun. Their greatness lies in the fact that when they came to us from other lands they brought with them their hearts as well as the rest of their bodies. They were Americans in life; they are Americans in death.

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have difficulty in recruiting the army; even to its present strength, and in times of war it would be very difficult to get volunteers. The foreign names which appear in the list of dead and wounded at Vera Cruz indicate the proportion of immigrants or the sons of immigrants in the navy. Nearly every other name discloses foreign origin. At the recruiting stations we find that at least one-third of those who apply for enlistment are the sons of men who were born in other countries. At many stations the proportion is two-thirds.

In the navy, the proportion of foreign born sailors and the sons of foreign born persons is even larger than in the army. Go through any of the battalions and you will find that nearly every second man was born of foreign parents. We have found that these men of foreign blood are as loyal to the American flag as are native citizens. Our idea of the army that traces its ancestry back through many generations of American citizens.

"Invariably, immigrants who come here feel that this is their own country. They accept our traditions and our institutions as well as our laws. Our idea of freedom makes them feel proud of being American citizens and they are always the first to spring to the defense of the flag.

"No one outside of the army and navy can realize how these recent immigrants or sons of immigrants fight for the American flag."

That is the spirit of liberty indeed; and the fostering of that spirit of view is essential to our healthy growth. Let us take the list of the 13 sailors who laid down their lives in Vera Cruz the week of April 21. Most of them were but boys—the average age was only 21. Most of them, too, were unmistakably foreign names. The first to die was George Polunetti, a 20-year-old French lad from Philadelphia. The first Frenchman to die was Daniel Hagerman, a 21-year-old Frenchman who died in the battle of the Clouds. The first American to die was Maurice Welch who died doing his duty only last Tuesday. He was a native of our neighboring town of Andover. Both he and Hagerman were of that sturdy Irish stock that fought with Sheridan. And there were Prussians and Irish and Scotchmen, offshoots of those who fought under Stonewall, Meisenberg and Hoescheper, the Jews, children of a people without a country, but now sons claimed by a nation. So the list runs on.

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more to solve industrial problems than the influence under which this society is today striving, for your organization is the kind that makes men contented and happy. The preservation of your language and love for your country do not detract one iota from your loyalty to the flag. It becomes a man to love his ancestors, the tongue and language he speaks as well as his altar, and Massachusetts welcomes and congratulates a society like yours and I wish to state that I doubt if ever I have attended such an enthusiastic meeting of sons of America as are in this hall today."

The governor then said that the French-Canadians have more than any other race contributed to the industrial success of the commonwealth. The speech of the early coming of French-Canadians to this state and their doings for the past 50 or more years. He also referred to the recent appointment



REP. HENRI ACHIN, JR.

him of Dr. Quessy on the state board of labor and industry for his aid, he said that a French-American physician was needed on this board for the health and benefit of the mill employees, and he said he hoped before the year is over he will have other opportunities to honor the French-Americans with other important appointments. The speaker paid a flattering compliment to Councillor John J. Hogan by saying he is the most loyal and most capable adviser the governor ever had. He concluded by extending to the C. M. A. C. the best wishes of the 2,500,000 people of the commonwealth.

At the close of his remarks the governor left the hall and was given a rousing send-off.

Mayor Murphy

Mayor D. J. Murphy spoke on the "C. M. A. C. Jubilee." The mayor congratulated the association for the success achieved during its 25 years and said that the event was of double significance for him inasmuch as he was also observing the anniversary of his birth. He spoke at length on the city since his incorporation and death with statistics in reference to industry, commerce and other important matters concerning Lowell. The speaker told of Lowell's advancement and criticized the mill officials of this country by saying they have failed to do what is right toward their employees, for if they had not, mill employees would not be seen parading through the streets or large cities with red flags and banners bearing such inscriptions as "No God, No Master."

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live, especially to the young members of the society.

Rev. Fr. Ouellette, O. M. I.

Rev. Guillaume Ouellette, O. M. I., a former chaplain of the society and now at St. Peter's church, Plattsburgh, N. Y., was scheduled to respond to the toast, "Young Men," but he was unable to be present and a letter of regret was read by the toastmaster.

Councillor Hogan

Councillor John J. Hogan was then introduced and he spoke of American Opportunities and the Rights of Citizens. The councillor was given a rousing reception and his remarks were very interesting. He referred to the aid given by France at the time of the Revolution and paid a high tribute to Lafayette, Rochambeau and others who so effectively aided the cause. The councillor closed by saying:

"The French people are here, therefore, by right and by favor. The stranger visiting St. Paul's cathedral in London is amazed and astounded at its vast proportions and the grandeur and magnificence of the structure, and on looking about he sees a tablet containing the name of the architect, Christopher Wren, on which is inscribed the words, 'If you are seeking my monument, look about you.' So with the French people of this city, if you wish to see their piety and advancement, especially in education, and otherwise look around you, and you behold the many buildings and structures they have erected, and are the owners of them. So, if you wish to see the piety and advancement of the French people, look about you, and you will see the many buildings and structures they have erected, and are the owners of them. So, if you wish to see the piety and advancement of the French people, look about you, and you will see the many buildings and structures they have erected, and are the owners of them."

Rev. Fr. Chaput, O. M. I.

"Our chaplains" was the toast assigned to the present chaplain of the association, Rev. Fr. J. A. Chaput, O. M. I., and the young clergyman who is a native of this city spoke eloquently of the piety and advancement of the French people, and he paid a high tribute to his predecessors for the work they have accomplished in furthering the association to such a high standard. His remarks were well received. The toastmaster on the program was for George G. Goss, who responded to the toast, "Ladies." The doctor handled his subject in a most commendable way and asserted a noble theme in his remarks, which greatly pleased the large assembly. The affair closed with the playing of the Canadian national hymn, "O Canada," the entire gathering joining in the chorus. Billard's orchestra was in attendance and supplied excellent music during the afternoon. The various committees which had charge of the observance of the silver jubilee were highly commended by the toastmaster. Chairman, Robert J. 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MEXICAN SITUATION

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met him at the train and took him to Niagara Falls, Canada, by automobile. The purpose of Dr. Naon's early arrival is to complete the plans for the conference which will begin with the Mexican and American delegates on Wednesday. While rooms and conference hall already had been engaged at the leading hotel in Niagara Falls, Dr. Naon desired to make certain that all conveniences were provided for carrying on the work of the conference with as much comfort and expedition as possible.

The minister was accompanied by his 11 year old son.

STAGE SET FOR NEGOTIATIONS

AT NIAGARA FALLS

WASHINGTON, May 18.—While the stage was being set in Niagara Falls, today for the next big scene in the Mexican crisis, officials in diplomatic and administration circles eagerly discussed the extent to which the mediation preliminaries might reach, and the bearing the negotiations eventually would have on the hope of settling the southern republic's ills. Reported optimism of the Huerta delegates over chances for mediation and their confidence that their long journey will not have been in vain found reflection in the capital.

Members of the federal mission were in New York today. Minister Naon of Argentina was at Niagara Falls, arranging for the beginning of the conference next Wednesday. Ambassador DeLima of Brazil was to leave New York today for the Canadian border town. Minister Suarez of Chile was to leave here today, and members of the American mission were expected to reach Niagara Falls Tuesday night or early Wednesday morning, about the time the Huerta representatives arrive from New York.

Successor to Huerta

The Huerta delegates firmly declined while here to give any statement of their program. Nevertheless some idea of their viewpoint was believed to have been obtained from representative Mexicans and others with whom they talked. They were reported as feeling that the federal administration is disintegrating, and that it is inevitable that a successor must be chosen for Huerta. The great problem in that event is that guarantees could be obtained against possible property confiscation by invading constitutionalists, safeguards against anarchy, and the kind of government that would stand and attract world recognition.

Troops at Vera Cruz

The Huerta delegates privately have admitted that the real problem confronting them is the pacification of their country. At the same time, persons in the confidence of the Washington government assert the question for mediation no longer is the Tampico flag incident or the numerous affronts to the dignity of the United States, but the broad question of settling the troubled republic's ills. Along that line, it is said that Funston's troops never will be withdrawn from Vera Cruz until a firm government is established or assured in Mexico City.

Not Carranza or Villa

Observers who were said to have the confidence of Emilio Rabasa, head of the Huerta mission, stated that the federalists probably would object to the naming as Huerta's successor any man on the way to power "by arbitrary force" as described in President Wilson's Latin-American address. That would eliminate the two constitutionalist leaders, Carranza and Villa, although there are men in the northern faction who would not be unacceptable, it is said.

TELL OF ATROCITIES ON

WEST COAST OF MEXICO

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 18.—Details of the murder of Americans, the capture by a Mexican transport of the American brig Geneva, the imprisonment of United States Consul Clement S. Edwards of Acapulco, and many atrocities on the west coast of Mexico, were brought in yesterday by the officers and 100 refugees on the British steamer Cetlaco which arrived from Mazatlan.

HUERTA DELEGATES IN

NEW YORK WILL NOT TALK

NEW YORK, May 18.—The Mexican delegates to Niagara Falls mediation congress, Emilio Rabasa, Augustin Rodriguez and Luis Bugarin, rested at their hotel early today. They planned to make some visits and do some sight-seeing later.

The delegates, with their party of attendants, members of their families and servants arrived from Washington Sunday night. They expect to leave for Niagara Falls tomorrow.

Members of the party decline to talk of their plans. Manuel Martinez, a camp, who has acted as spokesman ever since the party left Mexico City, said the delegates would continue their policy of silence.

I will tell you our itinerary late today and what we do while here," he said, "but nothing more. The delegates do not mean to say anything until they reach Niagara Falls."

FUNERALS

FRANCIS.—The funeral of Charles J. Francis, formerly a resident of this city but more recently of Rochester, N. Y., took place this morning from the funeral chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Lawrence McQuaid, M. I., assisted by Rev. Joseph McMartin, O. M. I., as sub-deacon. The bearers were Messrs. John Clancy, Thomas Welch, Messrs. McQuaid and Joseph Welch. There were many floral offerings placed upon the grave, which was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Fr. McQuaid, O. M. I. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

SCOTT.—The funeral of Hugh Scott took place this morning from his home, 54 Pleasant street. The services were conducted by Rev. Appleton Grannis, rector of St. Anne's Episcopal church. The Mendelssohn male quartet sang appropriate selections. The bearers were T. H. Keen, Joseph Sullivan, Allen Arnold and Thomas Bailey. The floral tributes consisted of a pillow from the family, and other offerings from Mrs. Blanche Griffith, a friend, Miss Emily and Miss Mary, and Mrs. James J. McMahon. The burial took place at 11 o'clock in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The committal prayers were read by Fr. McQuaid, O. M. I. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

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Misses Blomhermann, Mrs. Billingsley and son and the Frisby Sisters. Burial was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Mr. Richard A. Griffin, under the direction of Undertaker Geo. W. Healey.

BEALS.—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah A. Beals took place Saturday afternoon from her residence, 190 Pine street. The services were conducted by Rev. Charles H. Davis, pastor of the Highland M. E. church. Appropriate selections were sung by Miss Belle Libby and Miss Bessie Foster. Burial took place yesterday in the family lot in the Riverside cemetery at Lewiston, Me. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

CARR.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Carr took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her home, 22 First Hill avenue. At the Immaculate Conception church at 3 o'clock, services were held with Rev. Owen McQuaid, O. M. I., officiating. Among the many flowers were a pillow, inscribed "Mamma," from the family, cross inscribed "Our Sister," from the family, and other offerings from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carr and LeCar family, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Pierce, Francis and Lena Kiehn, Miss Mrs. Mahoney and Miss Jennie Foster, Miss Annie McNulty, Terence and Ella Carr. The bearers were Thomas Wall, Patrick Clark, Ed. Carr, Frank, William and Joseph Carr. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where prayers were read by Rev. Fr. McQuaid, O. M. I. Undertakers M. H. McDonnell & Sons had charge of the arrangements.

DEATHS

SHLAY.—Mrs. Della Shlay, wife of Emory Shlay, died last evening at her summer cottage on Pleasant avenue, Plushurst. The remains were removed this morning to the funeral parlors of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons. Funeral notice will appear later.

McHUGH.—Dennis A. McHugh, aged 55 years, died this morning at his late home, 702 Auburn street, after a short illness. The deceased was a well known resident of this city and a devout attendant of St. Peter's church. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, Mrs. McHugh, three sons, Edward, Frank and Charles McHugh. He was a member of Court Merrimack, P. of A.

BRENNAN.—The many friends of Mrs. Catherine Brennan will be pained to hear of her death which occurred at 7 o'clock at the home of her son, 27 Bowden street, after a short illness. The deceased was a well known resident of this city and a devout attendant of St. Peter's church. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, Mrs. Brennan, three sons, Edward, Frank and Charles McHugh. He was a member of Court Merrimack, P. of A.

FUNERAL NOTICES

WEBB.—Died in Lawrence, May 18th, William A. Webb, aged 39 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ella M. Webb. Mr. Webb was formerly instructor in the machine department of the Lowell Industrial school. Funeral services will be held at the Edison cemetery chapel in this city Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

McARTHUR.—The funeral of Frank McArthur will take place Wednesday morning from his late home, at 8 Dutton street at 9:15 o'clock. A high mass of requiem at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Interment in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Peter Savage.

and George C. Earl, superintendent of the water and sewerage board of New Orleans, was elected president for the ensuing year to succeed Robert A. Thomas and the latter became a member, automatically, of the executive board.

Commissioner Carmichael enjoyed the convention very much and devoted considerable time to interviewing engineers and superintendents from different parts of the country. The Lowell men think, however, that Lowell is in two places in the country due to conditions, similar to those in this city, obtain and the two places in question are Middleton and Brookline, Mass.

Speaking of the convention, Commissioner Carmichael said: "The convention was a great success, over 550 being present, including many delegates from the family, cross inscribed 'Our Sister,' from the family, and other offerings from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carr and LeCar family, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Pierce, Francis and Lena Kiehn, Miss Mrs. Mahoney and Miss Jennie Foster, Miss Annie McNulty, Terence and Ella Carr. The bearers were Thomas Wall, Patrick Clark, Ed. Carr, Frank, William and Joseph Carr. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where prayers were read by Rev. Fr. McQuaid, O. M. I. Undertakers M. H. McDonnell & Sons had charge of the arrangements."

Big Filtration Plants

"We visited big filtration plants at Torrington, Pa., and Wilmington, Delaware, but conditions are different than in Lowell. They have very little iron and manganese to contend with. The city of Philadelphia gets its water direct from the Delaware river, and you ought to see the water before it is filtered. The Delaware carries so much of a number of manufacturing plants and it seems as if all kinds of refuse was thrown into it, yet the water, after filtration, is used for all purposes."

"I listened to a number of arguments in favor of creating a fund to replace worn out parts of apparatus connected with the department and I believe it is a good scheme. It is along the same line as is followed by manufacturing concerns, who set aside a certain amount of the receipts for general depreciation. We cannot buy the nucleus to the fund this year because we have too much work on hand, but we will begin next year."

"I found that all through the west they are talking filtration, but iron and manganese are rarely mentioned. Practically all of the four days of the convention were taken up with the reading and discussion of papers on different water works subject. In his address at the opening session, Mayor Blankenburg spoke earnestly in keeping politics out of the public works, a policy, he said, that he follows."

The principal papers were by Nicholas S. Hill, of New York, on "Planning Water Distributing Mains;" George A. Johnson, of New York on "Modern Filter Practice;" John W. Alvord, of Chicago, and W. E. Miller

of the Wisconsin railroad commission, on "Apparatus on Costs and Charges for Fire Service and Domestic and Industrial Uses." These papers came in for considerable discussion. Another paper of note was read by Max Von Recklinghausen, of Berlin, Germany, on "Purification of Water by Ultra-Violet Rays." This method of treating water is expensive, but does away with the use of chemicals; the method now in common use and which is objectionable because of the liability of overdosing, saving an odor to the treated water.

Superintendents' Day.—Thursday was superintendents' day, and was devoted to topical discussion and experience reports on details of operation, such as the most efficient types of meter, their settings and their effect in decreasing revenues in water consumption. Hydrants, pumps, valves, etc., were also considered from various standpoints.

During the convention, trips of inspection were made to the Philadelphia and Wilmington, Del., filter plants. Both are what are known as slow sand filters, although in the latter plant chemicals are used to some extent when the water is very turbid. The convention and headquarters of the association were at the Bellevue-Stratford, and the local arrangements were in charge of C. E. Davis, chief of the Philadelphia bureau of water. Preparing the fact that a great many cities are using filtered water direct from the river, Commissioner Carmichael said he wouldn't want to be the one to propose river water filtration in Lowell. "We know," he said, "that filtered river water is used by Lawrence, but Lowell is a class by itself. There are conditions existing here that do not exist elsewhere."

Suspended for One Year

Before going to Philadelphia, Commissioner Carmichael turned over his departments to Mayor Murphy and during his absence there occurred the fire in the Brooks' building in Fenton and Fletcher streets. It seems that a driver of one of the fire teams drove to the fire but was not on hand to take his team home when the all out signal sounded. When the firemen got back to the fire house with the team they found the driver in bed. It seems that almost immediately upon arriving at the scene of the fire he staggered out to a grog shop and filled up on booze with the result that he was not in condition to show up again at the fire. The mayor reported the case to Commissioner Carmichael this morning and the commissioner stated that it was the driver's second offence and that he would suspend him for one year.

The local police department, as well as the departments of other cities and towns of Middlesex county, are making a strong effort to get rid of all unlicensed dogs or dogs that appear on the public street without collars. All dog taxes fall due the first of May and the local police are giving dog owners but one month's warning so that any person who owns a valuable dog should get busy immediately and pay his tax as the police will begin prosecution after the first of June. Those who do not care to get their dogs licensed should not take them away from home and lose them nor let weights about their necks and throw them in the river. There are a few dead dogs in the Concord River,

WILLIAM A. WEBB RT. REV. BISHOP ANDERSON

Director of Lawrence Industrial School Died Today—Lived Here

LAWRENCE, May 18.—William A. Webb, director of the Lawrence Industrial school, passed away this morning at 12:45 o'clock at the Lawrence General hospital. He was operated upon Sunday, May 10, for peritonitis and had been doing well until Friday when his condition became serious and all hope for his recovery was abandoned. Although Mr. Webb was director of the Industrial schools of this city for only a comparatively short time, he accomplished more for the school than has ever been done since it was founded. He was an earnest worker, and took great pains with whatever he undertook. The report of the Industrial schools which was given out the day before Mr. Webb was operated upon, was indeed a triumph and it was not until the last bit of work was completed that Mr. Webb sought to attend to his health.

Mr. Webb was born in Rockingham, N. C., 39 years ago. He was employed in the Saco Machine shop in Lowell for a time and was later chosen to be a teacher in the Lowell Industrial school. After a few years of rewarded success there, he accepted the position as director of the Lawrence Industrial school. Mr. Webb is survived by his wife, Ella, of this city, and five brothers and three sisters of Rockingham, N. C. He resided at 17 Byron avenue.

THE P. M. CONFERENCE

CHANGES MADE IN THE ASSIGNMENT OF MINISTERS AT LAWRENCE TODAY

LAWRENCE, May 18.—Changes made in the assignment of ministers by the eastern conference of Primitive Methodist churches at the session at the Second Primitive Methodist church in Methuen today included the transfer of Rev. John Singleton from Black Island, R. I., to North Dutton, R. I., and Rev. Joseph Gordon from Manville, R. I., to Black Island, R. I. Rev. Clement Crawley, a new minister, was assigned to the church of Manville, R. I.

Henry Edmund of Tilden street, an elderly gentleman, stumbled and fell to the sidewalk near the corner of Moody and Tilden streets this forenoon and sustained several small cuts about his face and head. He was removed to the Lowell hospital in the ambulance.

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Confirmed Classes at St. Louis' and St. Peter's Churches—Yesterday's Services

A very impressive ceremony was held at St. Louis' church in West Centralville this forenoon when Rt. Rev. Bishop Joseph A. Anderson of Boston administered the sacrament of confirmation to 275 children, boys and girls. The service was held at 10:30 o'clock and consisted of the recitation of the rosary, a sermon by His Grace Bishop Anderson and benediction.

The boys and girls received holy communion in a body at an early mass this morning and at 10:30 o'clock they again assembled at the church. The boys were clad in black suits and wore a white ribbon around the left arm, while the girls wore white dresses with veils. The pews in the center aisle were occupied by those who were to be confirmed, while their parents and friends, who were numerous, occupied the other places.

The sponsors for the boys were Joseph Defenice, with Mrs. Joseph Defenice attended the little girls. The high priest was assisted in administering the sacrament by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Labrosse, and Rev. Evangeliste Robichaud, the latter of Newton. Present at the ceremony were also Rev. L. C. Ballard, under whose direction the children were prepared, and Rev. Joseph Maguire, O. M. I., of Notre Dame de Lourdes church and Rev. E. J. Comeau, formerly of St. Louis' church and now of Brockton.

Bishop Anderson spoke interestingly to the children, giving a clear explanation of the sacrament they were about to receive and he dwelt at length on the duties of a Catholic "soldier" who has been confirmed. At the conclusion of the service the choir, which was composed of boys and girls from the school, sang "Onward, Christian Soldiers," and the service closed with benediction of the blessed sacrament, Rev. L. C. Ballard officiating.

St. Peter's

At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon Bishop Anderson confirmed 100 children, about evenly divided boys and girls. The children were attended by the sisters of the parochial school and they occupied pews in the centre aisle of the church. The rite was assisted by the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. J. Kelleher, and Rev. W. George Mullin. During the service hymns were sung by the children and the bishop delivered a forceful sermon on "Confirmation."

St. Margaret's Church

The mission for the women of St. Margaret's parish was brought to a close at a back yesterday afternoon. Rev. John P. O'Leary and Rev. John

Conway conducted the mission. Fr. Conway preached the sermon and took occasion to compliment the women of the parish on their splendid showing made during the week. At every service the church was filled to its capacity, while the number of communicants during the week was quite large. Last night at 7:30 the men's mission was opened with services consisting of the rosary, sermon and benediction. The attendance was unusually large. The exercises for the week will include masses at 8 and 9 o'clock and evening services with sermon at 7:30.

Parochial School Blessed.—St. Peter's parochial school was formally blessed yesterday by Rev. Dr. Kelleher, assisted by the priests and societies of the parish.

The high mass at St. Columba's church was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. John A. Degan. He also preached Thursday the Feast of the Ascension will be a holy day of obligation. Masses will be celebrated at 7, 7 and 8 o'clock and there will be vespers in the evening at eight o'clock.

The Holy Name society will hold a ladies' night in the parish hall tonight.

The members of the Holy Family received communion in a body at the 7 o'clock mass at St. Patrick's church yesterday. Rt. Rev. William O'Brien, P. M., was the celebrant. He was assisted by Rev. Joseph A. Curtin in giving communion. The celebrant at the high mass was Rev. John J. Kerrigan and Rev. Timothy Callahan preached the sermon.

At the Immaculate Conception the masses on Thursday, will be at 5:15, 6:30 and 9. There will also be services in the evening.

At the 10 o'clock mass special music was given by Misses Shallo and Dacey of this city and Mr. Jas. McNulty of Tewksbury. At the 11 o'clock mass, a feature of the music was a duet by Miss Loretta Whitley and Mr. James Mack.

TUBERCULOSIS CAMP.—The first examination for admission to the tuberculosis camp, at the Lowell General hospital will be held at the central building of the hospital tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. It is very important that all who intend to enter the camp should begin their camp life as early as possible and remain until the camp closes for the season.

WEAVER WINS ANOTHER GAME

Errorless Ball Featured
Saturday's Game —
Champions Won 2-1

Lowell Won in 2nd In-
ning on 3 Passes, a
Double and Sacrifice

Manager Fred C. Wilson of the Lowell club has his team to the champions Saturday in the second round when he permitted three pitchers to go to bat and to win a game in a long battle by sacrifice, double and a long double by another sacrifice. The two runs which covered the plate as a consequence was enough to place Lowell a 2-1 winner at the conclusion of the nine innings.

"Black" Weaver pitched one ball for the home and was well supported. Not an error was made on either side. Greenhalgh, Devine and Cargue furnished the hitting features of the game.

First Inning

Cargue opened up by fouling. Dugan walked. Little Tommy Devine, who is as good as the New England league itself, hit a pop fly to Greenhalgh. Howard flied out to Devine. No runs. For Lowell: Devine flied out to Dugan; Devine flied out to Devine. No runs. Devine flied out to Devine. No runs.

Second Inning

Mulvey hit to Burke and died at first. Wilson flied out to Devine in short center. Campbell walked and stole second. Cargue pitched to Burke. No runs. In Lowell's half, Stimpson walked. Wilson caught him off the base and threw to Wilson. He was declared out and the bases were not busy. Pottinger also walked. Kelly walked. At this point Pottinger and his brother, who is as good as the New England league itself, hit a pop fly to Greenhalgh. Howard flied out to Devine. No runs. For Lowell: Devine flied out to Dugan; Devine flied out to Devine. No runs.

Third Inning

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"TRUCK" WEAVER
Lowell Pitcher Who Won His Second
Game Saturday

DIAMOND DAZZLES

Well, we couldn't find much fault with the way the Champions worked Saturday. It was a good game all the way through.

"Black" Weaver stands at 1.000 in the average column for pitchers and is one of the few in the league who have not yet lost a game. His work Saturday indicates that his arm this season is even better than it was last season. Weaver's best ball was delivered over both corners but never grooved into the field.

"Hum" Smith once more showed his speed of the day before. In the fourth session when he hit sharply to Mulvey. Before the latter, who had knocked down the ball, could recover himself Smith had crossed first base. "Hum" speed will come in very handy before the season closes.

Nye did not play at first for Clobey's hand and his place was filled by Wilder, a youngster playing his first professional game. The red-headed left showed the makings of a good ball player and vaulted the ball to deep right for two sacks in the seventh.

Howard, Haverhill's center fielder, was right on the job as of yore. When Rube strode to the plate in the eighth inning and smote the ball to deep center, Howard was right where he could reach it. All of the outfielders are strong out along the fences when Rube steps up to the bat. If the Rube could only place a few hard hits over the infield he would make a good many short doubles on this account.

"Tommy Devine and 'Chick' Cargue aren't dead ones yet by any means. These two old-timers made their presence known Saturday with two safeties apiece. Devine made a great catch off Dugan's bat in the first inning and Cargue held his position in fine style.

It was very plain to be seen by those who witnessed the game that Pottinger had once been a football player. The manner in which he stole home in the second inning was conclusive proof of this. Cargue was standing in the base line waiting for the ball which was being heaved from second and Pottinger

and four runs during his stay in the box.

Our opponents of last fall, the Hartford club, stand second in the Eastern association race only one full game behind the Waterbury club. The New London team, about which so much has been said, is in fourth place, having won six and lost five. New Britain is hopelessly lost in the cellar.

The umpiring of "Nixey" Coughlin this season in all of the Lowell team's home games has been above par. "Nixey" is a mighty good decision maker and would be a big improvement over one or two of the umpires now doing duty along the New England league circuit.

Henry H. Wilder, the local golfer, won the Country club cup Saturday at the Clyde Park links by defeating E. H. Howard. Woodland in the final round. Wilder was captain of the Harvard golf club his senior year in college and is noted as one of the most dangerous men with the clubs in New England.

Champion Johnny Coulton and "Kid" Williams of Baltimore will clash for the bantamweight title of the world on June 5 at the Vernon arena. Coulton has jumped out of a match so many times with Williams that many thought this bout would not become a reality. The champion has left for California, however, and it looks as though the affair would take place.

Jeff Tesreau showed his old time form in the box Saturday with the Pittsburgh Pirates as victims. Only one hit was cleaned off his delivery and Barney Dreyfuss' club went down to gloomy defeat by a 2-0 score. It is the best showing that Big Jeff has made since early last season.

The first round in the British golf amateur championships began today. This year America is more strongly represented in the English golf classic than ever before. Francis Quimel, "Chick" Evans and Jerome D. Travers are all looked upon as being fully capable of taking part in the last few stages of the tournament. New England golfers are following Quimel's progress with great interest.

SALEM HIGH WON GAME

WILSON PITCHED WONDERFUL
BALL FOR LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL,
BUT WAS BEATEN BY ERRORS

In spite of the brilliant pitching of Walter Wilson, Lowell high went down to defeat Saturday afternoon at Salem before the high school team of that city by the score of 2-0. The game was lost by errors in the local school-boys' infield.

Lowell high gathered a half dozen safe singles off Endicott, but could not hit the home pitcher when his meant runs. On the other hand errors continually kept Wilson in the hole. It was a hard game for any pitcher to lose.

Duffy and Pantone each collected a brace of hits for the local high school team, one of Pantone's being for two sacks. Wilson did not pass a man during the contest. The score by innings: Salem High 1-0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2.

Two-base hit: Pantone. Sacrifice hit: Martinson. Double play: Martinson to Weed, Stolen bases: Rice, McVey. Bases on balls: By Endicott 5. Struck out: By Wilson 6; Endicott 3. First base on errors: Salem 4. Left on bases: Lowell 5; Salem 1. Time, 1:25. Umpire: Martin. Attendance, 500.

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LOWELL TEXTILE DEFEATED RINDGE

Captain Brickett's Pitch-
ing Main Feature—
Score 8-3

Batting of Casey and
Deady Also a Factor
in Local Team's Win

Lowell Textile won its game over Rindge Tech of Cambridge Saturday at the local school's campus mainly through the fine pitching of Captain Brickett, the final score being 8-3. Brickett allowed the visitors but five hits and held the game well in hand throughout.

The Rindge team played errorless ball in the field and gave Messenger and Barron brilliant support. Both visiting twirlers were fit hard, however, and twelve hits were made by Textile. Messenger was jumped on for four hits in the first session and was succeeded by Barron who fared no better. Textile sewed up the game in the first inning by pounding out four earned runs.

Deady, Casey and Brickett did the heavy stickwork for Textile, while Barron and Lawson played a great hitting game. The work of White and Sullivan featured for the Cambridge schoolboys. The score by innings:

Lowell Textile 1 3 0 0 0 1 0 0 8
Rindge Tech 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 3

Two base hits: Lawson, Devine, Deady, Brickett. Three base hit: Sylvester. Hits: Of Brickett 5; Of Messenger 4 in 1 inning. Off Barron 6 in 1 inning. Sacrifice hits: Casey, Brickett, Powers, Stolen bases: Deady 2, Casey 2, Lawson 2, Carlson, O'Brien, J. J. Conklin.



CAPTAIN BRICKETT
Textile Leader, Who Held Rindge Tech
to Five Hits Saturday

TWO NEW CARRIERS
FOR THE POST OFFICE

Through the efforts of Postmaster Crowley the department at Washington has agreed to allow two additional carriers for Lowell and accordingly the postmaster this morning received notification authorizing him to add two new men to his regular force. He made the appointments at once, advancing Edward J. Lynch and Arthur H. Bagshaw from the substitute list to the permanent force. They were for-must in the line of promotion.

With this addition to the carriers' corps the postmaster will be able to put on two new routes and thus relieve the congestion within the present delivery district. It will also be able to give an earlier morning delivery in some parts of the city.

FOUR SURVIVORS PICKED UP

Continued
The death roll of the lost freighter Columbian now stands at 15. Twenty-seven other members of the crew were saved by the Canadian liner, Fenimore and the steamer Manhattan after two days of search.

DEATH TOTAL 15

First Two Boats of the Columbian Picked Up by Fenimore and Manhattan

The death roll of the lost freighter Columbian now stands at 15. Twenty-seven other members of the crew were saved by the Canadian liner, Fenimore and the steamer Manhattan after two days of search.

Hope for the missing third boat had been abandoned after a dozen unsuccessful searches for five days within a wide radius of the spot where the Columbian was last seen. That it was in the vicinity of latitude 42° 12' was in the hands of the Fenimore and the steamer Manhattan after two days of search.

All the survivors were suffering terribly from burns and exposure. Chief Steward Matthews, who had been tossed unscathed into the boat picked up by the Fenimore, died after a few hours of suffering. The number 12 of his crew was found by the Fenimore and the steamer Manhattan after two days of search.

The men were so overcome by their own injuries that they let the Fenimore drift helplessly for hours without being able to make any effort to look after their mates.

At the time of the explosion the sea was fairly smooth, but the weather in the vicinity of the heavy ice fields was cold, and as most of the sailors had been taken when disaster overtook the Columbian they had no chance to put on warm clothing.

Not until the first boatload of survivors had been found did the name of the missing steamer become known. The Columbian's wireless had been wrecked by the first explosion. On the following day the North German Lloyd steamer Sydney discovered the burning ship and circled around her for hours unable to learn her name because of the dense smoke.

A dozen transatlantic liners and the revenue cutter Sebastea circled the vicinity of the Columbian for a wide radius in the search for the missing boats, but as the exact spot in which the crew took to the boats was not known and as the Columbian had drifted rapidly the chances against sighting a small boat were great.

The 11 dead in the third boat brings the casualty list of the Columbian to 15. Three of the crew were reported by the survivors to have picked head-first into the blazing hold of the steamer.

ATHLETES AND ATHLETICS

Captain Barron's performance Saturday in the Harvard-Yale dual meet at the stadium was remarkably similar to that of Reggie Foster when the latter jumped into national fame as a Princeton sprinter. Barron, as well as Foster, was originally a double forward, but like Foster he was developed into a sprinter. Foster took both the 100 yds. and 200 yds. in the intercollegiate but it looks as though Barron would find the going too easy. Still a win over a man like Cornell of Yale is certainly some prize to start with.

Pete Clemens has gone to his home in Rhode Island, declaring that he will never play ball again in the New England league. The ex-outfielder has decided to impress his secret disposition upon the league as a whole. If Hugh Dunn can see the reason for that, it's a cinch that if in their Sunday exhibition game, the Duffey has paid anything but money for Clemens, that Pete will play ball with Portland or not play at all.

Umpire Black's work Saturday was pitiful in the extreme. When he called Stimpson out on his steal of second base in the eighth the fans were perfectly justified in venting their indignation in shouts and jeers. Campbell dropped the ball but Black did not pause to see the two men pick themselves up. It's a cinch Black won't be with us much longer.

Carroll, the wonderful one-armed schoolboy broad jumper, is being picked for the greatest leap school long jumper in the country. Carroll, without seeming to exert himself, jumped 22 feet 11 1/2 inches Saturday at the Amherst interscholastics. He is still in Bryant high.

Matty Zieser worked five innings against the Duffeys' team yesterday at the Lowell exhibition game. The Duffey has paid anything but money for Clemens, that Pete will play ball with Portland or not play at all.

Joe Boehling of Washington, formerly of Worcester, New England, and Reb Russel of the White Sox were the two most sensational of last season. The fact that they both appeared in the same league and in the same year is all the more remarkable. Owing to his great strength, Russel was able to pitch eleven and so had the edge on the Senator at the season's close. This year, however, Joe says he is going after Russel's scalp and intends to finish well above him in the averages.



BOEHLING

BASEBALL RESULTS

New England (Saturday)
Lowell 2, Haverhill 1.
Boston 2, Lowell 1.
Portland 2, Lowell 1.
Haverhill 2, Lowell 1.

American League (Saturday)
Boston 2, Detroit 0.
Philadelphia 1, Cleveland 2.
St. Louis 2, Cleveland 1.
New York 2, St. Louis 1.

National League (Saturday)
Cincinnati 3, New York 1.
St. Louis 2, Brooklyn 1.
Philadelphia 4, Chicago 2.

Federal League (Saturday)
Cincinnati 1, Boston 2.
New York 2, Philadelphia 0.
Cleveland 1, Philadelphia 0.

International League (Saturday)
Cincinnati 1, Boston 2.
New York 2, Philadelphia 0.
Cleveland 1, Philadelphia 0.

League Standing

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GAMES TOMORROW

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Lowell at Portland.
Portland at Lowell.
Lowell at Haverhill.

American
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St. Louis at New York.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at Washington.

National
Boston at Pittsburgh.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
New York at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia at Chicago.

Federal
St. Louis at Portland.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Washington.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

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LOCAL NEWS

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Real estate at public auction and private sale. C. F. Keyes. Phone 1355.

Former congressman John J. Brady of Broadway, has left Lowell to spend a week with his brother, Rev. Thomas Brady, pastor of St. Patrick's church, Kansas City, Missouri.

Michael McLean was thrown from the running board of an electric car near the Green early last evening and as a result he now lies at St. John's hospital suffering from injuries to his right shoulder and a general shaking up. As the car was bound for this city the ambulance was notified and the injured man was removed to the hospital immediately after the car reached Merrimack square.

Nearly two hundred guests from all points of Massachusetts attended the annual dinner of the Lowell High School at the Mitchell Hotel last evening. The dinner was given by the members of the school, who were assisted by the most prominent citizens of the city. The program was a most interesting one, and the evening was a most successful one. The dinner was a most successful one, and the evening was a most successful one.

HARVARD MAN CHOSEN

DR. THEODORE SMITH WILL HEAD DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL PATHOLOGY

NEW YORK, May 18.—Dr. Theodore Smith, professor of comparative pathology in the Harvard Medical School, will be the head of the department of animal pathology of the Lowell Medical College, which is now being organized. Dr. Smith is a well-known authority on the subject of animal pathology, and his appointment is a great honor to the college.

FELL ON SIDEWALK

Henry Edwards, an old man residing at 1111 Broadway, fell on the sidewalk at the corner of Broadway and North Street, and received a bad laceration on his head. The accident was caused by a loose board on the sidewalk, and the man was taken to the hospital for treatment.

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CONDUCTOR LOST LEG TOO LITTLE GOD ALMIGHTY

Strange Accident to Michael Connerton—Run Over by Car Near Wamesit Last Evening

Conductor Michael Connerton of the Bay State Street railway was thrown under the rear wheels of a speeding electric car in the vicinity of the Wamesit station last evening and the lower part of his left leg was entirely taken off while his right limb was badly crushed and the physicians at St. John's hospital, where he was taken immediately after the accident, are now working in an attempt to avoid amputating it.

The conductor lived with his family at 357 Broadway. The injured man is unable to tell how the accident happened and as the motorman, John McLaughlin, did not see him fall, the exact circumstances are not known. However, Motorman McLaughlin and Conductor Connerton were sent on an extra trip shortly before 7 o'clock last evening and the car was proceeding toward

LONDON CONSUL DEAD DROWNED IN BATH TUB

J. L. GRIFFITHS, UNITED STATES CONSUL GENERAL, DIED SUDDENLY

LONDON, May 18.—John L. Griffiths, the American consul general at London, died suddenly last night at his residence of heart disease. Consul Griffiths had suffered from a slight illness recently, but was considered completely convalescent. He was out driving yesterday and was apparently quite well until the fatal attack. Nothing was decided last night regarding the funeral.

Griffiths was born in New York, Oct. 17, 1854. He studied law at the State University of Iowa and was admitted to the bar at Indianapolis, where he practiced for a time. He was appointed consul at Liverpool in 1898 and consul general at London in 1905. His wife was Caroline Henderson of Lafayette, Ind., whom he married in 1885.

Mr. Griffiths was engaged in writing the life of ex-President Benjamin Harrison.

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Vice-Pres. Marshall Starts Something—Too Much Science in So-Called Educational System

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Vice President Marshall's declaration that one of America's ills today "is that there is too much science in the so-called educational system and too little God almighty" occasioned comment in Washington today. The statement was made at a church gathering here last night.

"There is this thing wrong in many of the churches," said the vice president, "that because church and state are separate and the state makes the schools, the church feels itself absolved from any duty in the direction of education of youth."

"The state is permitted to mold children from the age of 6 up through the time when they are going through col-

MODERN BOY

Five Books Selected as Necessary Companions of Bright Youths

Somebody said "Give a boy the alphabet and nobody can say what heights of greatness he may attain." In these days, however, the timeworn adage is being improved upon and the attainment of greatness is being made more certain by the enlarging of the knowledge of which that alphabet should be the index.

The National Newspaper Syndicate which is conducting the great educational movement of national scope believes that the parents should not be satisfied with giving the boy merely the alphabet but that a set of books as simple as A, B, C's, but as useful to the gray-haired business man as to the boy at school, be provided.

With this end in view, it is making a distribution to The Sun readers, and the edition in People's Cyclopaedia a compact at the above edition.

On every subject this great reference work stands ready for its fund of knowledge. It is indispensable to layman or scholar, professional or business man, and to every school child.

On another page of this issue you will find the announcement, from which it is to be clipped a coupon entitling the holder to a set of this wonderful reference work. Clip this coupon today and present it at the store of the L. L. Childs Co., who are distributing the book without profit to themselves.

The offer will be withdrawn as soon as the allotment for Lowell is exhausted.

DEATHS

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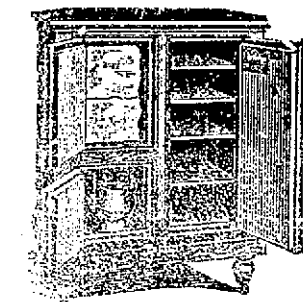
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HURD STREET

FATAL MISTAKE

Frank McCabe Took Corrosive Sublimite Tablets and Died

Frank McCabe, a well known board-house keeper of Dutton street, died at St. John's hospital early this morning of bichloride of mercury poisoning.

Mr. McCabe, who had been treating for kidney trouble arose shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday morning for the purpose of taking some tablets that had been prescribed for his ailment. In the darkness he mistook some corrosive sublimite tablets for his medicine and placing some of them in a glass of water swallowed them. Immediately he became violently ill and was shortly afterward removed to the hospital where it was found that his condition was hopeless. The tablets having taken effect upon his system he died at 10 o'clock.

The deceased was 42 years of age. He is survived by his wife, Louise, two sons, Frank and Harry, two daughters, Anna and Annette, a mother, Mrs. Ann McCabe and a brother, P. Henry McCabe, both of Centerville, R. I.

After Medical Examiner Neils had viewed the body the remains were removed to the home of the deceased, 5 Dutton street, by Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

FUNERAL NOTICES

CARNEY—The funeral of Mrs. Anne Carney will take place Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 121 Lawrence street. A solemn high mass will be celebrated at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

HILL—The funeral of Alfred H. Hill will take place Wednesday afternoon. Services at the Edison cemetery chapel at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Undertaker John Weinbeck in charge.

CONWAY—The funeral of Mrs. Frances Conway will take place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 8 Bourne street. At 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be sung at the Sacred Heart church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FOX—The funeral of the late Thomas H. Fox will take place at 9 o'clock from his home, 17 Plain street, on Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock. High mass of requiem will be sung at St. Margaret's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in the family lot in the Edison cemetery. C. H. Molloy & Sons in charge.

GRAHAM—Died in this city May 16, at his home, 29 Elm street, John Graham, aged 62 years, 2 months and 7 days. Funeral services will be held from his late home Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

MARKER—The funeral of Mrs. Nellie P. Marker will take place Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at her home, 11 Bourne street. Friends are invited without further notice. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

NORWEGIANS FOR WILSON

ONE HUNDRETH ANNIVERSARY OF NORWEGIAN INDEPENDENCE OBSERVED IN BOSTON

BOSTON, May 18.—Norwegians of Boston gathered in the Dudley Street Baptist church yesterday afternoon for the observation of the centenary of the birth of Norwegian independence. Interrupted the church service and applauded heartily the name of President Wilson.

"I am glad we have a president who is too Christian to harbor malice against a neighboring country," said the Rev. Dr. Charles A. Fulton, pastor of the Dudley street church. "Woodrow Wilson is a man who wants the American flag to stand only for Christian conduct, but he is a man who is well fitted to maintain independence in this country, such as the Norwegians of Boston celebrate today."

Prolonged applause greeted these remarks of Dr. Fulton. Yesterday was the second of a celebration that is to continue until tomorrow night. In the evening there was a concert in

IN AUTO CRASH

Woman and Child Had a Narrow Escape in Collision at Bedford

An automobile containing Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Woburn, another woman and a small child was, struck by a passing machine, two miles on the Billerica side of Bedford, about 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon and a fatal accident was narrowly averted. The hub of the passing automobile caught the front wheel of the Brown machine and sent it crashing into a telegraph pole. Mrs. Brown, who weighs about 250 pounds, was thrown out over the wind shield and landed on her head beside a stone wall. She was injured internally. The other occupants of the car were cut about the face and hands. The automobile was quite badly damaged and the telegraph pole was snapped off short. The occupants of the passing car, whose names have not been made known, did all in their power to assist those in the damaged machine. The latter were taken to their home in Woburn by J. A. McElroy of this city, who happened to be in the vicinity with his car at the time.

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HUERTA READY TO QUIT

BECKER'S PRESS AGENT WITNESS FOR STATE

Charles B. Plitt Corroborated Stories of Jack Rose and Others That Becker Was Instigator of Murder Plot — Mrs. Rosenthal Testifies

NEW YORK, May 18.—Charles B. Plitt, one time press agent and adviser for Charles Becker, on trial for the murder of the gambler, Herman Rosenthal, took the witness stand for the state today and corroborated in many details the stories of Jack Rose and others that Becker was instigator of the murder plot. As he testified he avoided looking at the defendant.

After Rosenthal had been murdered, the witness swore, he met Becker, who was indignant at the way the killing had been accomplished.

"What the matter is with Jack Rose and the bunch," Plitt quoted Becker as having said, "To pull the stunt the way they did was very bad. You would suppose it was being done for the moving pictures."

Plitt said he met Becker almost every day after Becker became head of the so-called strong arm squad.

Martin Manton, chief counsel for the defense, objected repeatedly to Plitt's answers to questions to the witness, but was invariably overruled.

On July 15, the day before the murder, Plitt swore, he saw Becker at

police headquarters and was told by him that arrangements had been made for setting an affidavit from Dora Gilbert, Rosenthal's first wife, to be used to blacken Rosenthal's character in an endeavor to offset his story to the district attorney.

"Then Becker told me," said the witness, "that he and I had to have an affidavit for that night. 'Keep away from Times square tonight,' he told me."

"What's coming off," I asked. "Never mind," said Becker. "Do as you are told. We've got to have an affidavit. Tomorrow you'll know why."

Plitt said Becker sent him to the Lafayette baths to meet Harry Vallon and others, and that they went to Dora Gilbert's house where Plitt personally took the woman's affidavit.

"After the murder," said Plitt, "Becker had said with reference to the affidavit, 'It's not much use now.'"

Plitt showed signs of nervousness during his testimony, and evaded Becker's glance studiously.

The witness said he called on Deputy Police Commissioner Dougherty, and did the best he could to establish an alibi for Becker. He saw Becker later.

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DICTATOR TO RESIGN MEXICAN PRESIDENCY

Huerta Authorizes His Representatives to Submit His Resignation if Necessary to Settlement in Peace Negotiations—Mediators Arrive at Niagara

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Gen. Huerta has authorized the Mexican mediation delegates to submit his resignation, in case such a course is found necessary to a settlement in peace negotiations. This was stated positively in dispatches today from a thoroughly competent diplomatic source in Mexico City, to one of the foreign representatives here and confirms intimations given by friends of the delegates here yesterday.

According to this information, Huerta at first authorized the delegates to discuss only the question of the Tampico conflict, leading to the American occupation of Vera Cruz. Later, it is explained, he came to recognize the necessity of a broader settlement, and then conveyed to the delegates assurances that he was prepared to step down should this course be found necessary by them.

The problem causing chief concern to diplomats in Mexico City now is that of the form of administration to be established during the interregnum before a constitutionally elected president could assume office. No intimations concerning the name of a possible successor to Huerta were contained in the dispatch, this subject being one in which it would be necessary to consult constitutionalist and other leaders in Mexico.

Supreme Court Justice Lamar and Frederick W. Lehmann, who will represent the United States at the peace conference at Niagara Falls today arranged to leave Washington at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. This arrangement will put the American delegates at the scene of the conference before the time the Mexican delegates arrive there from New York.

The information of Huerta's attitude how received through foreign diplomatic channels agrees with the view obtained by some of the close friends of the Mexicans during their stop here. According to this view the delegates realized that the present administration at Mexico City was fast going to pieces, and inevitable that Huerta give place to some other authority. It did not, however, disclose that Huerta had authorized his resignation if they considered that course necessary and this more definite phase was first made

known in the dispatch through diplomatic channels. "The Mexican delegates are not 'Huertistas' but represent, broadly, the best elements in the federal districts, desirous of bringing about an orderly government in that section and throughout Mexico. In that respect their wishes are believed to correspond with the wishes and intentions of the American government."

Who will come after Huerta—whether an individual or a provisional commission—still is an open question but it is gathered that the succession will not be likely to fall on military leaders who have come to prominence "by arbitrary force."

"The Huerta delegates never will agree to the selection for provisional president of any of the constitutionalist military men," said a man who had a long talk with the Huerta representative here yesterday. "They are not suggesting any names, however, for provisional president nor are they ready to make suggestions to the mediators unless asked, as they are expecting the initiative to come from the three South American diplomats. They want someone, however, for provisional president who will guarantee

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BOY SHOT HIMSELF AFTER FAMILY QUARREL

Geo. Peseapanas, Aged 19, Attempted Suicide in Market St. —He Felt That Police Were About to Arrest Him — He Has Slight Chance of Recovery

George Peseapanas, 19 years of age, residing at 831 Market street, attempted suicide this noon when he shot himself in the left breast on the stairs leading to the cellar of his home. The suicide attempt, it is said, was made after some relatives of the young man had taken out a warrant for his arrest for attempted larceny. The young man is now at the Lowell hospital, where the physicians entertain little hope for his recovery.

Up to about a week ago he was employed at the Tremont & Suffolk mills, at which time he was discharged by his overseer. He made his home with his brother, Nicholas Peseapanas, in Market street, an old woman cousin of his, who also roomed at the same place, claims that the young man and a companion tried to rob her of her savings Saturday morning. The woman claims she was awakened at about 4:30 o'clock Saturday morning by the two young men who were in her room. She shouted for help and the two intruders went to the cellar. George resided in there but his companion escaped and his acquaintances now claim he is in Manchester. George's brother

was notified of the attempt at larceny and he went down into the cellar where he had a quarrel with his brother.

George went out later and did not return until this forenoon at about 10 o'clock. He went directly to his former room and slipped his revolver into his pocket. A few minutes later he went out, saying he was going to the mill for his pay, and before going he threatened to kill his brother. Patrolman Tsfasaras was notified of the threat and he went out to find the young man. He met him a short time later and followed him to the house and when the young man saw he was being followed he shot himself as stated. The ambulance was summoned in haste and the would-be suicide was hurried to the Lowell hospital, where he was placed on the operating table. At the time of going to press it was stated at the hospital that the bullet had not yet been extracted and that the young man has little chance of recovery.

George was making his home with his brother, Nicholas, and a sister, Anastasia. He is unmarried and has been residing in this city for a number of years. His brother works at the Merrimack mill.

PEACE IN COAL REGION

REP. KEATING OF COLORADO
CONFERRED WITH PRES. WILSON TODAY

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Representative Keating of Colorado conferred with President Wilson today concerning the conditions in the strike district of his state. Although the president had advised Gov. Ammons that federal troops would not be allowed to remain indefinitely in the strike sections, Mr. Keating said the president was not disposed to withdraw the government forces immediately and he is willing to do everything within reason for the preservation of peace in the coal region.

FUNERALS

PATENAIDE.—The funeral of Mrs. Leo Patenaide took place this morning from her home, 65 St. James street. High mass of requiem was celebrated at Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O. M. I. The bearers were Fred David, Hector Zoticque, Seford and Ferdinand Patenaide and Arthur Chaloux. Among the floral offerings were tributes from the family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chaloux, friends, B. W. Harpin, E. A. McCallum, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parkhurst, Misses Amanda and Blanche Blanchard, X. and Mrs. Edward Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Blanchard. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the requiem prayers were read by Very Rev. F. Wade Smith, O. M. I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

DEATHS

IGNAC.—Antonio, aged nine months, died today at the home of the parents, Eugene and Anna Ignac, 5 Montcalm avenue.

KOBANKAN.—Mrs. Jacob Kobankan.

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DEPOSITORS STORM BANK CITY OF LOWELL

Threatened to Break in Doors of Chicago Bank Which Closed Saturday—Police Called

CHICAGO, May 18.—Police reserves were called out today to control a crowd of depositors who threatened to break in the doors of the Brookline Commercial and Savings bank, a private concern here which closed its doors Saturday. This bank and the Midway Commercial and Savings bank were owned by Joseph T. Ashurst and William R. F. Fosberg.

WAKEFIELD STRIKERS OUT

Plant Was Opened This Morning But Only Sixty-two Reported—No Violence

WAKEFIELD, May 18.—The Hoxwood cotton plant opened this morning without the slightest show of violence from the strikers. Only 62 persons entered the works by the front gate up to 8, and when the whistle blew, at 7, barely a dozen had gone in. Of the 62, fully 15 were overseers or superintendents, and half a dozen more were women who are employed in the office.

The strikers were dotted in groups over the hillside across the street from the factory side, and made not the slightest attempt to interfere or even to jeer at those going to their work.

Depositors informed the police that Ashurst was missing. The Brookline bank advertised resources of \$150,000 and deposits of \$12,000 and had 300 depositors. Yesterday Fosberg found 400 pennies and forty dimes in the safe. A smaller but equally hopeless crowd of depositors gathered at the Midway bank but there was no disorder.

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To Connect a Training School With the City Sewerage System

City Engineer Kearney represented the city this forenoon at a conference with the county commissioners relative to connecting the Training school buildings with the sewerage system of this city at the county's expense. Originally the arrangement with the city was to construct the sewer to the premises without connecting the buildings. At the meeting of the municipal council tomorrow action will be taken to comply with the wishes of the county commission, on condition that the county will meet the expense.

DYNAMITE NEAR TRACKS

RAILROAD POLICE PATROL NEW HAVEN TRACKS AT STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT

STAMFORD, Conn., May 18.—Tracks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad here were patrolled by railroad police today because three sticks of dynamite in a canvas bag had been picked up in the right of way near the repair shop for electric engines. Station Agent Allen believes the bag was tossed off a passing train. It was not near the rails and not in a position where it might have been struck by the car wheels.

CALL REV. F. G. COFFIN

FALL RIVER, May 18.—The First Church of this city has extended a call to Rev. F. G. Coffin, pastor of the Christian church of Albany, N. Y., to accept the local pastorate vice Rev. Dr. Charles Summerbell, resigned.

DESULTORY FIRING

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Desultory firing by Gen. Burdus' federal forces has caused many casualties among non-combatants in the besieged town of Puerto Plata, on the northern coast of the Dominican republic, according to a report received today at the navy department from Capt. Eberle, commanding the cruiser Washington. He says no fighting of consequence has occurred during the last six days.

JUDGE HITS DETECTIVES

Caustic Criticism of the Methods Employed in Investigating the Phagan Murder

ATLANTA, Ga., May 18.—Caustic "cleuths" were seeking "not the truth, criticism of methods employed by but money and notoriety." He characterized "certain detectives" in investigating "a certain case" as a "maniac to justice" and said that the "indignation of the people justly was aroused by their activities."

Judge Hill instructed the grand jury to make rigid examination into the charges of alleged bribery and fraud that had grown out of the Frank case. It is expected the examination of witnesses in this connection will begin about the middle of this week.

STRUCK BY CYCLE FIVE OF NINE DROWN

Boy Knocked Down and Received Gash on the Head—Woman Struck

Alphe Forpin, a four-year-old boy, was struck by a motorcycle driven by Charles A. Dunn, about 7 o'clock last evening, and received a gash on the head that necessitated the taking of four stitches to close. After striking the boy, the machine careened to the curbstone and ran into a young lady, knocking her down. The latter, however, received nothing more than a severe shaking up and was taken to her home. Yvonne Forpin is the son of Gertrude Forpin and resides at 97 Arch street.

Those who saw the accident state that the man on the cycle did all in his power to avert the accident.

Mr. John Nolan of Central street started today for Hampton to get his house at Bour's Head prepared for the season. Mr. Nolan had a few weeks' illness in March and April but is now feeling quite well.

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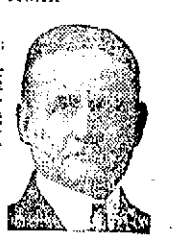
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BOY DROWNED

New Bedford Lad in Fatal Canoe Accident at Orono, Me.

ORONO, Maine, May 18.—Clifford B. Sherman, Jr., a prominent New Bedford young man and a member of the sophomore class at the University of Maine, met death in the waters of the Stillwater river here yesterday, when the canoe in which he and Omar K. Eide, a classmate, were cruising, was upset in the rapids.

The accident occurred early in the afternoon. The two college youths had proceeded but a short distance up the river and were within sight of the university buildings when the frail craft was overturned in the rapid current. Both youths, neither of whom was an expert swimmer, were seen to clutch for the overturned canoe.

Sherman missed his grasp by a few inches and went under. Eide, whose home is in Dexter, managed to hold up the canoe until he worked to within a few yards of the shore, and then waded to safety.

Sherman had gone under for the last time before help reached the scene. He was the son of Clifford P. Sherman of New Bedford, the referee in bankruptcy for the New Bedford district of Bristol county. He was a member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity and one of the most popular of the students of the university. He was a graduate of New Bedford high school in the class of 1912 and had many friends in that city.

DIED CRANKING HIS AUTO

WELL KNOWN BOSTON MARKET MAN DROPPED DEAD ON THE CHARLES RIVER RESERVATION

BOSTON, May 18.—George P. Trott, of 755 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, formerly one of the best known men in the Boston market district, dropped dead while cranking his automobile on the Charles river reservation at Auburndale, where he and his wife had stopped to watch the canoeists.

Mr. Trott formerly conducted an extensive produce business in the market district, but a few years ago retired because of his advanced age, being then close on to 70 years.

Yesterday afternoon he started with his wife on their customary Sunday automobile ride. When they got up to the Weston bridge they saw an unusually large number of canoeists on the river, so they drove on to the reservation and stopped a while to watch them.

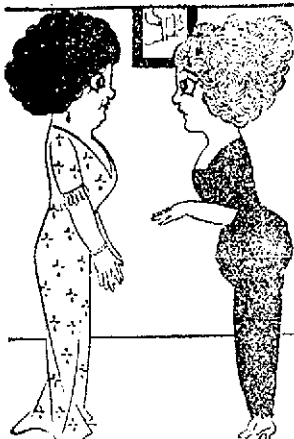
After they had been there for some time, Mr. Trott started to crank the machine and prepare to move on. Evidently it was too much of a strain for him, for he toppled over on the ground and started to moan.

Charles Robertson, a boathouse proprietor, happened to be passing at that time and saw the man fall. He went over to his assistance and called on a doctor who was one of the nearby autos and called Dr. William Elliott of the Metropolitan police.

Dr. Elliott brought a stretcher and started to carry the man to the police station, a short distance away, but before they arrived he died.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

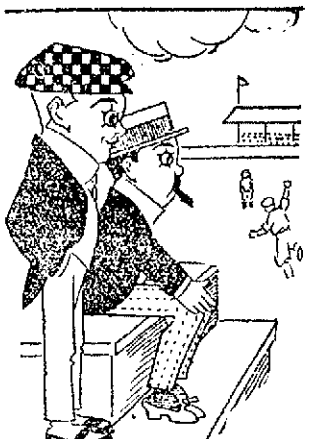
A LITTLE NONSENSE



THE MAIN THING.

Mother—Kitty, what are the intentions of that young man you are permitting to call on you so often?

Daughter—Never mind that, mother; I know what my intentions are.



ON SOME TEAMS.

"I read somewhere that baseball was invented by the Indians."

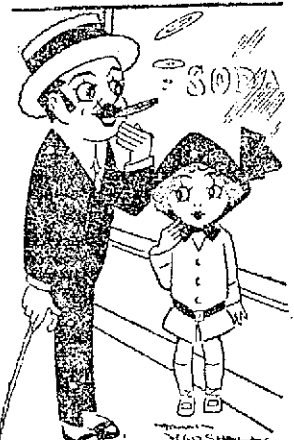
"Guess that's right; and we've got a lot of wooden ones playing it."



SUPERNATURAL.

Mother—Ethel, how could you knock your brother down. I am shocked.

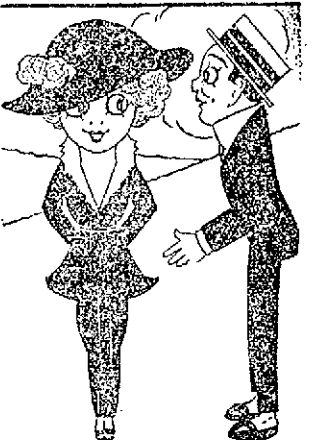
Ethel (proudly)—The Lord gave me strength.



PLENTY OF TIME.

Father—Papa, I want an ice-cream sundae.

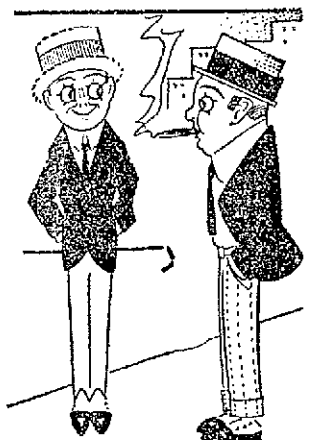
Mother—All right, dear, remind me of it again; this is only Tuesday.



ECONOMIC DEFENCE.

"Why don't you women dress sensibly?"

"If they did, half the industries of the world would go to smash."



HOW SCANDAL GROWS.

"What's this? I hear you had your face smashed in a barber shop."

"You heard it wrong. The barber merely broke my mug."

AMUSEMENT NOTES

OPERA HOUSE

The picture picture that every theatre-goer in Lowell has been anxiously waiting for and inquiring about is to be projected at the Opera House today. Little Mary Pickford, the world's most famous and beloved picture actress, will be given in the modern fairy play, "A Little Princess" (Lily). Release, released all star cast, including the famous "Princess" herself. "A Little Princess" has had the most successful and longest run of any legitimate production on the American stage at the Palace theatre, New York city, and has won and is now winning in five parts, is destined to be even more popular than the stage version. Miss Pickford will be seen in her best efforts in this beautiful production where she has come to New England in her already heavy career. One wonder, but talking about Miss Pickford, the manner in which she has won thousands of admirers each week. No other of the stars has made so many friends in this city as this star of the screen. The people go to see her because they truly love her.

"PETER PAN"

To properly present M. M. Barrie's play, one must thoroughly understand the Scotch dramatist. Barrie has said of himself: "I am a dreamer."

his characters better than he does himself, and it is a matter of theatrical history that beginning with "The Little Minister," she has made huge successes of all of his important plays that have been seen in this country. Over the revival of Barrie's "Peter Pan" to which the actress has been devoting herself for some time, Miss Adams worked with a good deal of enthusiasm. She herself planned the production and personally looked after the carrying out of all the details. The matter of selecting the people for the various characters was gone into very thoroughly and a star was completed. The rehearsals became very arduous. The result of all this preliminary work is that while Barrie's whimsical work is all delightful make believe to the audience, the players give the impression that to them it is all real as it can be. This is as Barrie wanted it and in his instructions to the players he gives them little opportunities to go astray. Among the important players in the large cast are George Hubbard, Byron Silver, Marjorie Abbott, Dorothy Dunn, Margaret Field and Dorothy Chesmond. The production is a most picturesque one, and will be presented here Thursday evening, May 21. Seats now selling.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE
Charles Froese, the most wonderful comedian in the world, will entertain at

the B. F. Keith Theatre this week, giving his batch of unusual stunts. Not only is Bruce Froese qualified to ride a bicycle as well as most of the human experts in bicycling, but he tackles some of the most difficult feats, including the manipulation of a wheel, the seat of which is ten feet above the wheels. He is a natural balancer, and has never had a tumble from his seat of eminence. He handles a billiard cue like a professional shark, and does a dozen and one other things like the ordinary human being. It was believed by animal trainers that Consul and Pedro represented the very highest point of animal intelligence and education. But Bruce Froese has tested them and is entitled to be called their successor.

Bruce Richardson and company will give the very funny skit, called "Moving Day." It is a series of situations of the mirth provoking kind from start to finish. Harry Sargent, a Lowell boy, has an excellent part in it. Mr. Richardson is in the role of "Sam Hill," who with his wife, has picked out a flat at 6 Maple street. House painters and decorators have been at work at 6 Maple street, and have unwittingly turned the tram of the apartment into a "Sam Hill" course. "Mr. and Mrs. Hill" think they have arrived at their new flat, and enter to take possession of it. The landlord is there at the time and tells them come in. He says they are respectively the janitor and the scrubwoman, and begins the giving of orders. "Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hill" all unused to such treatment, protest, quietly at first, but later in a heated manner. The situations are most unusual, and not until the last minute of the act does the atmosphere clear, and are "Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hill" piloted to their new flat. Cooper and Robinson, the highest paid colored comedians in vaudeville, will offer "The Melody Men," a conception of their own, which comes here very highly recommended. The act is full of light comedy and tinkling music, and the combination is sure to please. The men are agile dancers and can throw in an acrobatic twist or two, if occasion demands.

Sampson and Reilly, "the fashion plates of vaudeville," live up to their title, for their dressing of the act is without equal among entertainers. The act is replete with scenic effects, good and bad, and some highly interesting dancing.

The Grazers will keep audiences guessing. One of the two is a man, although both first appear on the stage as women. The imposture work is good in his work that nobody will be able to spot him until well near the close of the act. One good musical number and some high grade dancing will constitute the entertainment they will offer.

Daley and Kramer are makers and singers of their own songs, and the Aerial Shaws are military performers, who do some dandy work. The Aerial Shaws will be shown on the Aerial-Swinging thing will hold some wholly new subjects. Good seats for all performances may be secured in advance at the box office. Phone 28.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE
"Robert Emmet," one of the greatest Irish plays ever written, will be the week's offering by the Merrimack Square Theatre players, commencing with a matinee today at 2:30 o'clock p.m. The play was penned by Brendan Tyrone, renowned as the author of many of the biggest successes of the present day. His dramatization of the life and work of this great Irish patriot, based by the New York Herald to be the best and greatest success of its kind since the days of Boulevard. During its original run in New York city it enjoyed an engagement which lasted a full year, and during its run on the road it enjoyed equal success. As a stock attraction it has few equals. Tuesday night will be "Emmet night," and arrangements have been made for the reception to all members of local Irish organizations. A specially arranged musical program will be given by the Merrimack Square theatre orchestra, Phil M. Lederman leader.

In his dramatization of this really wonderful four-part play, Tyrone has incorporated many interesting and thrilling scenes, while his modeling together of the various incidents and actions of Emmet, during his career in the Emerald Isle, is said to be without an equal. He has introduced the life history of that great Irishman with a subtle touch of humor to evenly balance the more serious situations and scenes, while a pretty love story runs through it and adds interest to its worth. The play, in the hands of Emmet, Walter Scott, Wicks, the talented young leading man of the company, will be seen to paragon advantage. All of the dramatic

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Black only, with beauty spot, 1 1-4 yard lengths. Regular price 32c. Special price for today only.....25c Each

WOMEN'S \$9.75, \$8.75 AND \$6.98 COATS...\$5.00
(Second Floor)
Black moire or satin, navy or black serge, five styles, some lined throughout. Misses' and women's sizes to 44. Regular prices \$9.75, \$8.75 and \$6.98. Special price today only.....\$5.00

CHILDREN'S 59c and 50c COTTON GOWNS, 35c
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Sizes 2 to 10 years. Some with tucked yoke, "V" neck with narrow hemstitched ruffles and other styles. Regular prices 59c and 50c. Special price for today only.....35c

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Black or tan. Regular price 15c pair. Special price for today only.....11c Pair

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power possessed by this clever actor will be brought to the forefront, and it goes without saying that he will add materially to his successes of the past. Miss Gladys Malvern, the charming leading woman of the cast, will interpret the role of "Sarah Curran," sweetheart of Emmett, while Charles Stevens, May Hurst and Ivadool Eddy and the other members of the company



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will be seen to advantage in their respective parts.
Managor Carroll has spared neither expense or extra effort in producing the piece as near to the original production as it is possible. All of the scenes as shown in the New York production will be correctly and faithfully given with the production of the play itself will be carefully and cleverly portrayed.

Patrons who are anxious to secure their favorite seats should order them in advance. Telephone 253 and have them reserved. It costs no more and will assure you of the best locations.
For the week commencing Monday, May 25, the offering will be "The Village Postmaster," one of the best rural plays.

AT THE OWL THEATRE
"A wonderful character study by a wonderful actor," is the critics' remarks on "A Spy for a Day," the three reel photo-feature which will be shown at the Owl today and tomorrow. In connection with the other reels of picture plays, including "Down on the Farm," a screaming farce by these clever Keystone comedians. Another fine, rasher and soreness. Get the play that will attract attention in "The New Aviator," a novel war drama of "84c on bus.

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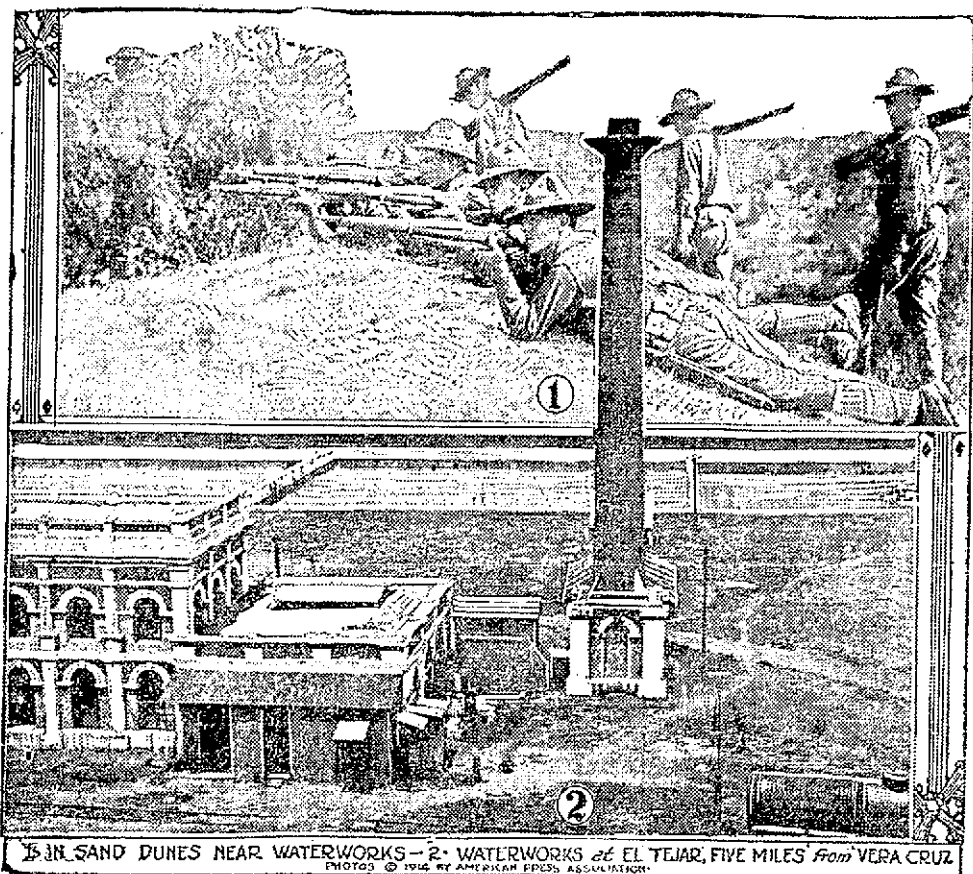
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VERA CRUZ WATERWORKS AND SOME OF THE SOLDIERS WHO ARE CLOSELY GUARDING IT



1. SAND DUNES NEAR WATERWORKS—2. WATERWORKS AT EL TEJAR, FIVE MILES FROM VERA CRUZ

This is a birdseye view of a part of the Vera Cruz waterworks situated at El Tejar, about five miles from the city. The main power plant is shown with the tall chimney of the pumping station, and also may be seen some of the reservoirs. Marines and soldiers have drawn up a strong guard around the plant and are on constant watch against attack. The trenches in the sand dunes around the works are thick with soldiers.

O'SHAUGHNESSY TO TALK AUTOS IN COLLISION VESUVIUS CRATER WEAK

FORMER CHARGE D'AFFAIRES IN MEXICO WILL BE SPEAKER AT DINNER IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, May 18.—Nelson O'Shaughnessy will be the principal speaker at a dinner to be given by the members of the Merchants association here on the evening of May 26. The occasion will be known as the "sons' dinner" and is intended to bring together the sons of the members of the association and to interest them in its work.

Mr. O'Shaughnessy's address will mark his first public appearance in this country since his return from Mexico. It is expected he will talk on conditions in that country.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TWO MEN IN SERIOUS CONDITION AT SANFORD, CONN. HOSPITAL

STAMFORD, Conn., May 18.—The condition of A. D. Clark of Littleton, N. H., and Robert Mitchell of New York, who were injured in a collision of automobiles late last night on the highway between Riverside and Minnis, was said at the Stamford hospital this morning to be very critical and little hope for the recovery of either is held out.

Clark's automobile was struck by one driven by John D. Curtis, a New York broker who lives at Greenwich.

Mitchell was riding with Curtis. Clark's car was overturned and took fire, Clark being badly burned before he could be dragged from under it. Mitchell's skull is fractured.

TOP OF VOLCANO THREATENS COLLAPSE AFTER RECENT ACTIVITY—SIGHTSEERS BARRED

NAPLES, May 18.—A large part of the top of the crater of Mount Vesuvius is threatening to collapse owing to the recent activity of the volcano. A party of Americans yesterday were prevented from approaching the crater because of the danger of an accident.

FARMER SHOT HIS WIFE

AS RESULT OF QUARREL AND THEN KILLED HIMSELF AT LONDONDERRY, N. H.

LONDONDERRY, N. H., May 18.—James Irving Chase, a farmer, committed suicide yesterday by discharging a shotgun at his head, after he had attempted to kill his wife. She was wounded only slightly and will recover. A quarrel is said to have preceded the shooting. Chase was 66 years of age.

FRANK E. MAPES

Polymath Who Escaped From Lowell Jail Is Still at Large—Married Three Times

According to a despatch from Boston, Frank P. Mapes, the man who escaped from the Lowell jail last Saturday forenoon, pleaded guilty to a charge of polygamy in the Somerville police court April 23, 1914, and was sentenced to the house of correction for two years.

Mapes, it is said, was married three times. He was divorced from his first wife, and married Nellie Benson at Wright City, Mo., Sept. 23, 1904. They had two children. Mapes lived in Somerville before his marriage to Miss Jensen and in April, a year ago, he returned and renewed an acquaintance with Miss Eva L. Thayer of 114 Josephine street, Somerville, on April 20, 1913. It is alleged, Mapes went through a mock marriage ceremony with Miss Thayer in Rhode Island and upon their return to Somerville the couple were married over again by a Somerville minister at the request of Miss Thayer's parents. Then they went to New York city and on April 23 Mapes left Miss Thayer after stealing her jewels. The next day he was arrested on a charge of bigamy and when arraigned in the Somerville court was found guilty.

RUSHES TO FIANCEE'S SIDE

BOSTON, May 18.—Summoned to the side of her fiancée, who is lying seriously ill in a Los Angeles hospital, Miss Charlotte Wyman of Little North, England, arrived yesterday on the American liner from Liverpool, and immediately left for the west on the next day of her 6000 mile journey. Miss Wyman received notification of the illness of her fiancée a few hours before the Devonian sailed and barely had time to catch the ship.

AMERICANS AND MEXICANS CLASH

VERA CRUZ, May 18.—Americans and Mexicans met in friendly battle on the baseball field yesterday afternoon and the nine of the Fourth Infantry defeated the Argonauts, an all-star Mexican team, in a four inning game, 4 to 0. The grandstand was crowded with white uniformed navy and khaki-clad army officers and a large number of the Mexican population. Rooters, from which snipers did deadly work against the American forces, held hundreds of cheering natives. Preceding the international contest, the Fourth Infantry defeated a team of the engineers, 7 to 2.

OPPOSE LIGHT CONTRACT

BOSTON, May 18.—Opposition to the plan to replace all gas lamps in this city with electric lights was expressed last night by the Central Labor union. A petition which it was voted to send to Mayor Curley read:

"Demand has not been made by public for such a radical change. In every city in the country and in all cities in Europe both the electric and gas are used as a matter of safety in the event of any calamity occurring to one system. The resolution also declares it would be unwise to give one company a complete monopoly of all street lighting of a city the size of Boston."

ONLY ONE "BROMO QUININE" Whenever you feel a cold coming on, take the full name, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. Grove on box. 25c.

VINCENT ASTOR

Improved in Health, Sails From New York With Bride

NEW YORK, May 18.—Vincent Astor, much improved in health, according to his friends, has sailed from New York with his bride for a short sea trip. On board his yacht, the Noma, Mr. and Mrs. Astor came to New York from Rhinebeck on Saturday and on Sunday the yacht steamed out to sea. The trip, it was said, would not extend further than Chesapeake Bay.

The Noma was refurnished, new boilers installed and other improvements made early in the year as Mr. Astor had planned to spend his honeymoon on the yacht, taking a cruise to the Mediterranean. His illness, which threatened to delay the wedding, caused the trip to be postponed.

The present trip is the first the couple have taken since their wedding on April 20.

ROBBED STATE OFFICER

SILAS P. SMITH HELD UP WHILE GOING WEST FOR A PRISONER

RENO, Nev., May 18.—Silas P. Smith of the Massachusetts state police and Officer J. W. Kane of Cambridge, Mass., caused the arrest here of Harry J. Patch of Cambridge upon a fugitive warrant charging with abandonment.

Gov. Oddie signed extradition papers and Saturday night Patch departed for Boston.

When Smith and Kane were nearing San Francisco on the trip to this city their train was held up, and Smith lost all his valuables, the bandit taking his watch and purse at the point of a revolver. Both officers were unarmed, their weapons being in their suitcases. While the bandit was directing his attention to other passengers, Kane picked up what he thought was his grip and hurriedly opened the bag in search for his revolver. Instead of masculine apparel, however, the grip contained a woman's finery.

By the time Kane discovered his mistake the bandit had been killed by a negro cook of the dining car after the conductor had wounded him.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

NEW ENGLAND INTERCOLLEGIATE CHAMPIONSHIP MEET AT LONGWOOD CLUB

BOSTON, May 18.—College tennis players were favored with ideal weather for the opening of the New England intercollegiate championship tournament at the Longwood Cricket club today. The colleges represented were Amherst, winner last year of the first leg on a new city, Bowdoin, Brown, Colby, Dartmouth, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Trinity, Wesleyan, Williams and Tufts.

BOY FELL INTO CANOE

YOUNG LAD DROPPED FROM BRIDGE RAIL UPSETTING BOAT WITH OCCUPANTS

BOSTON, May 18.—Four persons came near losing their lives in a peculiar accident at Weston bridge, Auburndale, late yesterday afternoon, when a boy playing on the bridge lost his balance and fell into a passing canoe, causing it to capsize and throw the occupants, two young women and a young man, into the water.

The boy, Arthur Higgins of 207 Auburn street, Auburndale, was playing tag on the bridge with a number of his young playmates. The game had been going on for some time, when young Higgins climbed over the rail of the bridge to try and dodge one of his young companions who was trying to tag him.

He got over the rail all right, but when trying to stretch himself so the other youngster could not tag him, he lost his balance and fell backward toward the water.

Just at that time, Joseph Mullins of Seacombe street, Waverly, came paddling his canoe, in which two young women friends were riding, from under the bridge. Higgins did not have a chance to shout, but fell on the side of the canoe causing it to tip over.

Large crowd on the bridge and on the banks witnessed the accident and cried for help. Before the police could get there other canoes had gone to the rescue of the party and after some difficulty managed to get them all ashore.

Three other accidents occurred on the river yesterday in which five young men were rescued, three by the Metropolitan police and the other two by spectators.

BAKERS' CONVENTION

BOSTON, May 18.—The annual convention of the New England Union Bakers will be held here June 14 and 15, it was announced last night. Jos. Walsh, general organizer, reported to the Bakers' union that on his recent trip to Montreal he had introduced the union label in four of the largest shops operating more than 100 delivery wagons. He will leave next month for organization work on the Pacific coast.

THAT TIRED FEELING IN THE SPRING

That tired feeling that comes to you in the spring, year after year, is a sign that your blood lacks vitality, just as pimples, boils and other eruptions are signs that it is impure; and it is also a sign that your system is in a low or run-down condition in which it will be easy for you to contract disease if exposed to it.

Ask your druggist for Hood's Sarsaparilla. This old standard tried and true blood medicine relieves that tired feeling. Get Hood's today.

NEW SNAPSHOTS OF AMERICAN MEDIATORS AND AIDS IN THE A. B. C. CONFERENCE



1-LEHMANN 2-LANSING 3-DODGE 4-LAMAR

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These are new pictures of the two American mediators for the A. B. C. conference and those who will aid them in representing the United States. The upper picture was taken at the department of state in Washington and shows Frederick W. Lehmann, one of the mediators; Robert Lansing, counselor of the state department, and H. Percival Dodge, secretary of the American representatives. The other picture is of Justice Joseph R. Lamar, the other mediator, as he was snapped at Washington.

BANDITS ROB N. Y. THEATRE

NEW YORK, May 18.—Posing as detectives, four men gained entrance to a Broadway motion picture theatre early today, made the watchman a prisoner, handcuffed three workmen who were in the theatre and blew open the safe in the box office, obtaining \$10,000. The robbers were in the theatre building three hours and compelled the watchman to wind the watchman's clocks at various points in the theatre at the proper time so that no suspicion as to their presence would be noted on the outside.

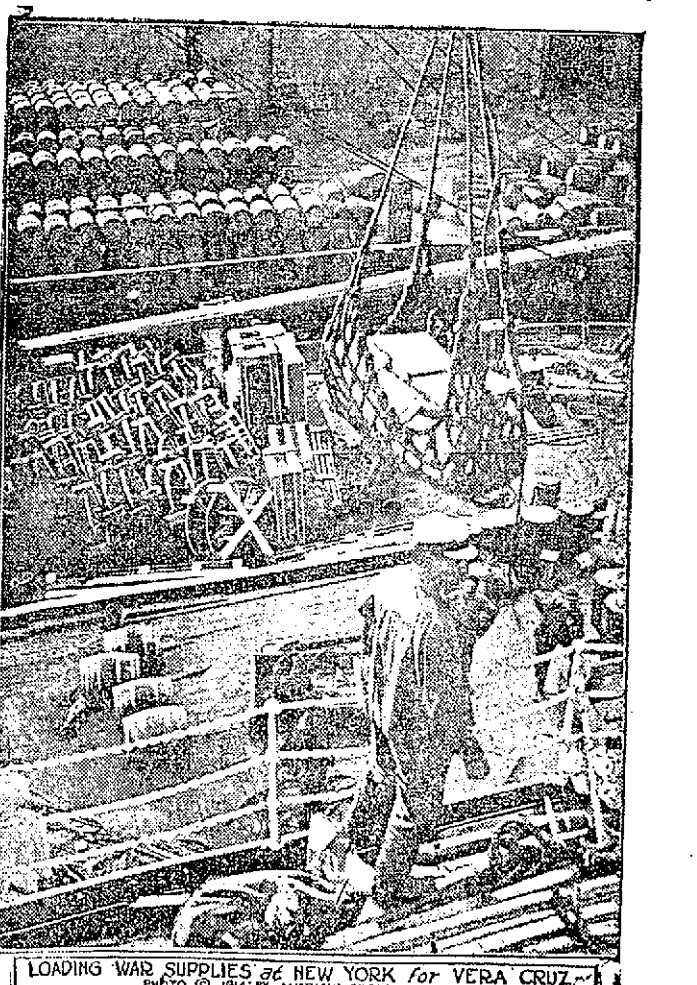
CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—N. A. Richardson of San Francisco is the socialist party nominee for governor of California, it was announced here today. He was chosen by votes taken in the various "locals" of the party.

BODY OF MME. NORDICA

BATAVIA, Java, May 18.—The body of the late Madame Lillian Nordica, was shipped today on board the steamer Van Cloon for Singapore, from which port it will be taken to the United States.

WAR SUPPLIES FOR SOLDIERS AT VERA CRUZ LOADED ON TRANSPORT



LOADING WAR SUPPLIES AT NEW YORK FOR VERA CRUZ

NEW YORK, May 18.—War supplies are being rushed to Vera Cruz, Mexico, by the United States government. The accompanying picture shows ammunition, wagon wheels and camp materials being loaded on a transport. The war department is losing no opportunity to fully prepare for war in Mexico should the mediation plans fail.

Coffee Finds its Place

The Literary Digest, of March 28, 1914, quoting the New York World, says:

"Cocain and its allied intoxicants appear to be about the cheapest things in the market. They are seemingly cheaper than whiskey, cheaper than beer, cheaper in proportion to effects than tea or coffee."

The best teaching of today is distinctly against the use of coffee, tea and other drugs, and drug-bearing beverages—especially among the young. It is well established that headache, nervousness, indigestion, sleeplessness, and other aches and pains are commonly caused by coffee drinking.

People are becoming alive to this fact and thousands have quit coffee and now use

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Made of whole wheat and a small per cent. of molasses, Postum is a rich, flavoury beverage much resembling high-grade Java in taste, but is absolutely free from the coffee-drug, caffeine, or any other harmful substance.

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Regular Postum—must be well boiled—15c and 25c packages.

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The cost per cup of both kinds is about the same.

"There's a Reason" for POSTUM

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PEACE AMONG THE NATIONS

Subject of Sermon by
Rector of St. John's
Church

Rev. Dr. Fisher Ex-
changed Pulpits With
Rev. L. L. Greene

At St. John's church Sunday night, Rev. James B. Fisher had for his sermon subject "Peace Among the Nations," drawing his inspiration from the 42nd and 43rd verses of the fifth chapter of Matthew.

The preacher, in the course of his sermon, said: "There is going over the country a general feeling of uprising in regard to the breaking—as some people regard it—of the treaty signed between England and America in regard to the Panama canal. Many people feel that whether or not we have the right to let American vessels go free, it should be looked at from a

A Simple Way to Remove Dandruff

Prevent Falling Hair and End Itching Scalp

There is one sure way that has never failed to remove dandruff at once, and that is to dissolve it, and destroy it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, common liquid sycamore from any drug store (this is all you will need) apply it at night when retiring, use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and destroy dandruff, every single hair and trace of it, so that you will have no more dandruff. You may have, if you will find all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly and your hair will be shiny, lustrous, wavy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

If you value your hair, you should dissolve dandruff at once, for nothing so quickly destroys the hair and makes it fall out, but it makes it strong, healthy, full, shiny, brittle and lustrous, and completely restores it.

moral point of view. That great wave of protest came to a head in reconsideration at Washington.

In the matter of the relations between the United States and the republic of Colombia, the people feel that an advantage was taken because of the greater strength of our nation, and there is stronger feeling in our nation today that we should make amends for that action. Here again we have the building up of that moral feeling that we must act in accordance with certain principles that we believe to be right. These are all examples of the building up of the building up of principles that will be a great force in the guidance of the nations.

The moral work of the church is also a great force in the building up of this principle between the nations. They go there, not to get, but to give, because they want to raise the standard among the people of those nations. This gradually builds up a feeling of good will, and gradually there springs up a principle that is in conformity with that of the master.

First Universalist Church

At the First Universalist church, Sunday morning, Rev. L. L. Greene of Chelsea preached, in exchange with Rev. Dr. Fisher. Mr. Greene's subject was "Christianity." He stated that he based his creed upon the sermon on the mount and the golden rule. He said it is not what we believe, that counts, but rather it is the quality of our lives, although the higher and the brighter our conceptions, the happier and the wiser we shall be.

There is much of bitterness, of uncharitableness, of consciousness in all churches. It is for us to strive, by our own living, our own exemplarity, to root out these evil qualities. A fine tribute was paid to the early followers of Jesus, to their practical brotherhood, their harmony and sympathy, and we of today, said the preacher, might well emulate them. Charles Bradlaugh, though an atheist, was cited as being, by his splendid life, practically a Christian, so much so that the Church of England, during his last illness, prayed for his recovery. "I look forward," said the preacher in closing, to the time when religion will become so pure and sweet and beautiful that we shall all become imbued with the great biblical truth: "Oh, man, what more dost God require, than to deal justly, to love mercy, and to walk humbly before thy God?"

First Trinitarian Church

The memorial service at the First Trinitarian church for Sir William Smith, who founded the Boys' Brigade in Edinburgh in 1858, was held last night and was well attended. The service was held in full uniform and the boys paid strict attention to the words by the pastor and his Yale classmate, Rev. C. A. Bodwell, now pastor in the town of Harvard. Mr. Bodwell was a member of the first company east of the Mississippi, formed 23 years ago in New Haven, Conn. Mr. Bodwell had arranged a special musical program with two solos by Mr. McGee and a duet by Messrs. Luster and Bonell. In the absence of Miss Luster, Mr. Bodwell sang her part. The brigade is to attend the Sunday G. A. R. memorial service and take part in the memorial day parade.

First Baptist Church

Rev. Dr. Doyle preached at the First Baptist church, Sunday morning and evening. In the morning he spoke

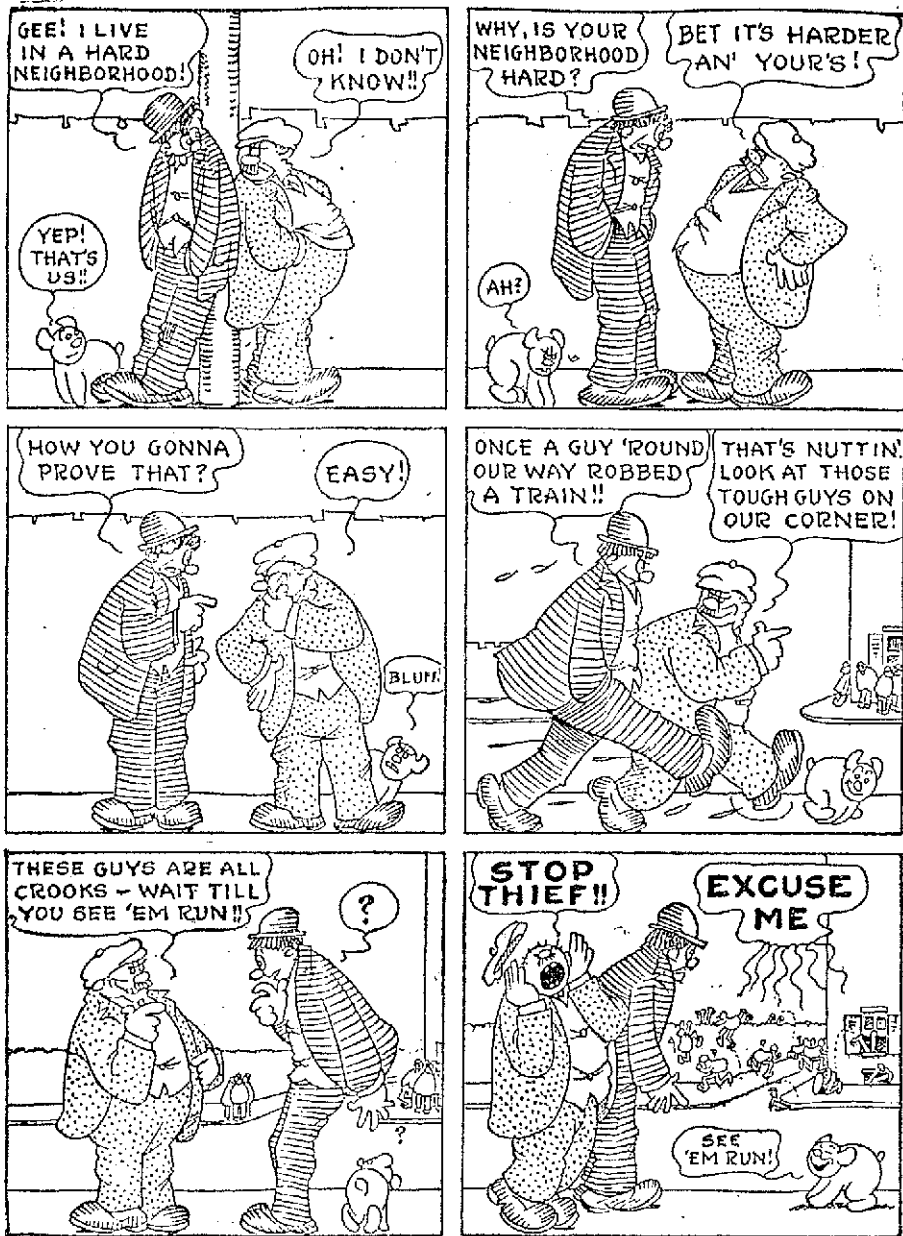
of the marks that every Christian should bear in his life as proof of his devotion and faith, of which the chief was exultation over suffering. In the evening he preached on "Opening the Eyes of Young Men."

Encouraging reports were received from the pastor, who is still in the Lowell General Hospital. Mr. Plunkett is now able to be up a portion of each day and seems to be gaining in health.

At Pawtucket Church

Great interest was taken in the stereoscopic lecture given by Rev. F. C. Alger at the Pawtucket Congregational church last evening, especially be-

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cause of the fact that it described the famous Marathi mission in India. This is the district in which Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fairbank have labored so long and successfully, and now for a number of years past the Sunday school of the Pawtucket church has given generously towards the support of the work. Mr. Fairbank visited the Pawtucket church some years ago.

The music of the morning service included solos by Miss Agnes Parker of Reading.

HONOR DEAD VETERANS

NAMES OF ALL BURIED SINCE LAST MEMORIAL DAY REQUIRED BY MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

The secretary of the Memorial day committee desires to obtain as complete a list as possible of the names and residences or ships of all veterans of the Civil war who were not members of the G. A. R., who have been buried in the cemeteries in Lowell since May 30th of last year.

These names will be read at the roll call of the dead in the memorial service at the First Congregational church next Sunday and friends are urged to send their record to T. Coburn, secretary, 116 Bradley building, Lowell, not later than next Saturday.

EXTENDS SHORE LEAVE

SEC. DANIELS WANTS SAILORS TO HAVE TIME TO SEE THEIR "BEST GIRLS"

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Joseph Daniels, secretary of the navy, demonstrated once more yesterday his friendship for the sailor by letting it be known that he purposes to extend the shore leave of sailors when their ships are in port. Incidentally Secretary Daniels expects thereby to decrease the number of technical desertions.

Under present regulations when a sailor is given shore leave he must return to his ship by 11 o'clock, when the last boat to the ship leaves shore. There have been many desertions because of failures to catch the last boat, and Secretary Daniels has issued an order providing that there shall be a 12 o'clock and a 1 o'clock boat between shore and ship.

"It is quite unfair," said Secretary Daniels yesterday, "to expect that a sailor can take his girl to a theatre, have a little supper afterward, and get back in time for the last boat at 11 o'clock. I have ordered that the last boat between shore and ship leave at 12 o'clock. I understand that navy desertions have been due to sailors' misadventure in getting back to their ships. I have feared the results that follow."

PIANO MANUFACTURER

LAVARNE M. IDE DIED OF HEART DISEASE AT HIS HOME IN MOUNT VERNON

NEW YORK, May 18.—Lavarne M. Ide, widely known in the piano trade in this country, died yesterday of heart disease at his home in Mount Vernon. Mr. Ide was born in Manchester, Mich., 54 years ago and when a young man became identified with the piano manufacturing industry in the west. He came to New York city years ago, and for two years has been president of the New York Piano Manufacturers' association. His body will be taken to Michigan for burial.

TRADERS BANK

Congressman Rogers Explains Delay in the Payment of Dividends

Another little serving of hope to the anxious yet patient depositors whose money has been tied up in the Traders national bank for several months has been passed out by Congressman John Jacob Rogers.

The congressman took the matter up by request of depositors and came out with a statement about the middle of April to the effect that the first payment, 50 per cent, would be made May 10. The checks failed to materialize and as a result considerable apprehension was felt among the depositors, who felt that something tangible should follow such a long receiptship.

A few days ago, in Washington, Mr. Rogers sought an explanation of the delay in the payment of the dividends from Milton C. Elliott, chief of the division of insolvent banks. From that source he learned that the first estimate given of the time required in arranging the matter was rather inaccurate and that the department would need more time for checking up such a large number of accounts.

Mr. Rogers was assured, however, that the checks would be ready for the signatures on Thursday of this week.

POISONED BY THE GRIP

The grip is no respecter of persons. No age or station of life is exempt from it. The grip is not a fatal disease but it leaves its victim in such a debilitated condition that one of our foremost medical writers has been led to say, "It is astonishing the number of people who have been crippled in health for years after an attack." It is a common thing to hear people date various ailments from an attack of influenza.

The condition of those who have had the grip is one that calls for a tonic for the blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are specially adapted to meet this need as they purify and enrich the blood, tone up the nerves and give strength and health to the debilitated system.

"The grip left me without any vitality whatever," says one who has found relief, "and I lost all appetite and ambition. I was reduced in weight and was frequently confined to bed for two days or more. My friends thought I was going into consumption. I owe my recovery to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and cheerfully recommend them." The details of this case and a chapter on the proper treatment of the grip and its after-effects will be found in the booklet "Building Up the Blood" which will be sent free on request by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

EX-MAYOR FEARS DEAD
GLOUCESTER, May 18.—Robert R. Fears, the first mayor of Gloucester, died yesterday. He was 83 years old.

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Here is a sample of the extraordinary inducements for today's selling. Housekeepers, Hotel Keepers, Lodging House Keepers and Buyers for Institutions. These items should interest you. Come.

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100 doz. Sheets, size 72x90, made of fine bleached cotton, with three and one half hem, limit 4 to a customer, and no telephone orders, regular price 50c. Special value for Monday 25c Each
65c Sheets, size 72x90, made of extra fine bleached cotton, subject to slight imperfections. Anniversary Sale Price, 49c Each
100 doz. Pillow Cases, size 42x36, made of good bleached cotton, regular price 11c each. Special value for Monday, 3 for 25c
121c Pillow Cases, size 42x36, made of linen finish cotton. Anniversary Sale Price..... 10c Each

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF BED SPREADS

\$1.25, the popular White Crocheted Spreads, medium weight, assorted patterns, hemmed ready for use. Special value for Today 79c Each
\$3.50 White Satin Bed Spreads, fringed on corners, full double bed size. Anniversary Sale Price..... \$2.50 Each

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF DECORATIVE LINENS

100 doz. Scarfs and Squares, size scarfs 18x54, squares 30x30 Japanese drawn work, and trimmed with tordone lace, regular price 50c. Special value for Today..... 19c Each
25 doz. Doilies, 21 and 30 inches in diameter, beautifully embroidered, Japanese drawn work, and trimmed with imitation Chumy lace, regular price 75c and \$1.00. Special value for Monday 25c Each

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

TODAY we are out to beat all records in Underwear selling—These prices will do it.

Women's Night Robes, high neck, long sleeves or low neck, sleeves, edged with embroidery or lace; regular price 50c. Anniversary Sale Price..... 39c
Long Skirts with cluster of tucks or five inch ruffle of embroidery; regular price 50c. Anniversary Sale Price..... 29c
Corset Covers with yokes of embroidery, two rows of tordone and ribbon run; regular price 25c. Anniversary Sale Price..... 19c
Corset Covers with deep yoke of embroidery; others trimmed with lace and heading; regular price 39c. Anniversary Sale Price..... 25c
Women's Drawers of cambric or nainsook, straight and circular with deep ruffle of embroidery, slightly counter rolled; regular price 50c. Anniversary Sale Price..... 39c

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SUITS

These Suits will be hurried out the first of the week, mostly all sizes. There are groups at..... \$5.98, \$7.98 and \$10.00

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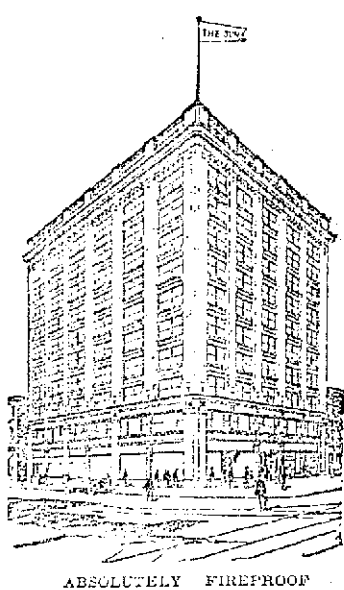
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West Section

Bridge

D. Milne, who has been connected with the News since July 1877, as reporter and managing editor, and for several years as part owner. He will now have a half ownership with Frank S. Almy, who succeeded to the half interest held by his father, Franklin L. Almy, upon the latter's death, June 12, 1912. Mr. Almy has been connected with the business office since July, 1896. He succeeded his father as business manager.

John Cruikshank Milne was born in Milfield, Scotland, May 18, 1824. He was the son of Sergeant John Cruikshank, paymaster of a British regiment stationed in Scotland, and Anne Milne, daughter of Rev. John Milne, a Baptist clergyman. His parents died when he was three or four years of age, and he was brought up by his grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. John Milne, who formally adopted him after coming to the United States. He received his primary education in a private school at Glasgow. With his grandparents and an uncle, young Milne came to Fitchburg, Mass., in 1832. There, at the age of eight years, he went to work in the printing office of an uncle, making his advent in a trade that was to become his life work. A keen mind and a natural aptitude for the mechanical part of the trade enabled him to develop into a rapid and accurate compositor in a comparatively brief time.

Three years later, in 1835, came the only lengthy interruption that was to figure in his life as a printer for more than four score years. With his grandparents and an uncle he came to Fall River, where other uncles had made homes already. No opportunity to continue in the printing trade presented itself, and he secured work in the blue dye house of the calico print works, conducted on Pocasset street by Andrew Robinson & Son. His pay was \$2.50 a week. The hours were from 7 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock at night. He remained in the print works three years.

Almost as remarkable as his record in the newspaper field is that of Mr. Milne's connection with the local banking business. When the Pocasset National Bank was organized in Fitchburg, in May, 1854, he was one of its first board of directors. He continued in that position for 42 years, or until the time that the bank lost its identity in a merger with the Massachusetts and National Union banks, forming the present Massachusetts-Pocasset bank. Mr. Milne has lived to see the other members of two boards of directors pass away, as well as the two treasurers and two cashiers. The Pocasset started at the corner of South Main and Rodman streets, then a part of Tiverton, with Oliver Chase as its president, and Samuel Hathaway, Weaver Osborn, John C. Milne and William H. Taylor of Fall River, and Moses Baker and Gideon H. Purfoot of Tiverton as directors. Mr. Milne was the youngest director.

Five years after the Weekly News was begun, on June 25, 1839, its youthful junior publisher was married to Mary Abby Gifford, daughter of George W. Gifford and Betsey Howland, of this city. If both live until the 25th of June next they will have completed 65 years of married life. They have had nine children, four of whom died in early life. The surviving children are: Mrs. Mary J. Fennell, Joseph P. Milne, Mrs. Charles H. Gier, Mrs. Edward H. Remington and Mrs. James A. Chadwick. There are eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

FAST POLO GAME

International Polo Team
Easily Defeated Second Team

NEW YORK, May 18.—With the aid of Hal Phillips, who appears to have won the fourth place on the international polo team, the "five three"—J. M. Waterbury, D. Milburn and L. Waterbury—yesterday easily defeated the second team by the score of 10 to 2, in the latest game of polo seen in the east this season. A crowd of more than a thousand polo enthusiasts saw the match and the sensational playing of Milburn, Captain Waterbury and the central team work of the first team amply rewarded them for the journey to Westbury.

The second team failed to score until the fourth period, after the "bit three" and Phillips had a lead of seven goals. Milburn, on Conover, a Texas pony, which has seen service in all of the international matches, Captain Waterbury made a goal from the throw in three shots. His time of 14 seconds made this goal the fastest so far achieved this season. The next practice game will be played tomorrow on the shadowbrook field.

BOY RUN DOWN BY AUTO

BOSTON YOUNG MAN NEARLY
KILLED BY RACING MACHINE—
POLICE MAKE CHASE

BOSTON, May 18.—Samuel Rodman, of the most widely known newsmen of the city, barely escaped death today yesterday morning when a high speed racing machine, tearing through Columbus avenue, ran him down at the corner of Dartmouth street and then made off at terrific speed and eluded a car filled with police officers which started in pursuit.

Rodman is lying seriously injured at the City hospital, suffering from broken bones and a score of wounds, while the police of all New England are searching for the machine. The machine is believed to be owned by a Canton man and arrests are expected today. Two persons, at least, are under surveillance.

During the pursuit of the car by the police, several persons had narrow escapes from death, including four officers who sought to stop it, while the driver of one of H. P. Hood & Son's milk wagons was thrown from his seat when the racing machine grazed his outfit in trying to round a corner.

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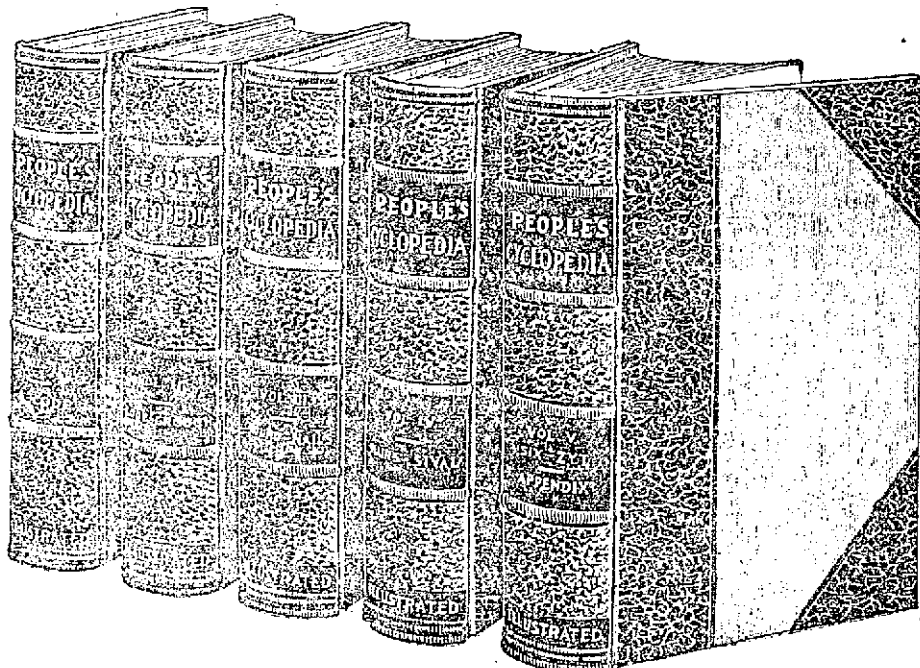
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SHEEP AND WOOL

Conference Called by
Secretary of Agriculture
for June 2

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—The secretary of agriculture has issued a call for a public conference of persons interested in the sheep and wool industry, to be held in Washington, June 2, 3, and 4. Among the topics suggested by the secretary for discussion are the manufacturing value of American wools; the improvement of wool and ranch methods of handling wool; the possible adoption of foreign methods to American conditions; the standardization of the wool clip, and the prevention of damage by dogs and predatory animals.

The high quality of American wools, when properly put up, is generally recognized by our manufacturers, but so little attention is paid to the care of American wool at shearing time, that it usually sells for less than its real

value, and frequently suffers by comparison with foreign wool. Such practices as the indiscriminate packing of wool in bales, and the use of inferior packing materials, and the use of inadequate means for marking sheep, cause a heavy unnecessary expense and loss in the industry, which has been variously estimated at from 5 to 20 per cent of the annual value of the wool, and the wool producers must pay the loss in the form of a reduced price.

The damage done the sheep industry by predatory animals in the western range states, and by dogs in the farm states, will be a very important subject for discussion at the conference. In some of the range states the number of predatory animals appears to be decreasing, but in others these pests are increasing in spite of growing settlements, and a loss of 10 per cent of the sheep and goats in some sections. Dogs in farm states cause irreparable losses in the form of sheep, amounting in some cases to complete extermination. There is no doubt that the lack of control of dogs in farm states

is the principal hindrance to the development of the sheep industry in those regions, and a survey of this situation recently made by the department of agriculture indicates that if there were proper control of dogs, the sheep population of the farm states could be doubled without displacing any other animals on farms. The effect of such an increase on the country's meat supply would be pronounced, as sheep in farm states are raised principally as meat producers.

Various agencies have been for some time engaged in propagating work to effect an improvement in wool handling and sheep husbandry, and this conference is called by the secretary of agriculture to coordinate such efforts, and give an opportunity for the formulation of policies of national scope which will tend to place the sheep and wool industry on a more stable basis.

Such a conference has already been manifested in a large attendance of representatives of the wool industry, wool handlers, and others interested in the sheep industry, is expected. The national bureau of animal industry has made an educational collection of wools and wool fabrics, which shows the advantages of proper preparation of wool for market, and market requirements. This collection will be on exhibition during the conference.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LOOPS THE LOOP

British Statesman Took
Wonderful Chances in
the Air

LONDON, May 18.—Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, yesterday looped the loop six times over Sheerness harbor in a monoplane driven by Gustave Hamel, the English aviator.

ADMIRAL DUFFY DEAD
LONDON, May 18.—Admiral Sir Charles Duff, died today at the age of 88. He was born at Rothsay, New Brunswick, and entered the British navy in 1859. From 1898 to 1908 he was second sea lord of the admiralty.

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MEXICAN SITUATION
Continued

met him at the train and took him to Niagara Falls, Canada, by automobile. The purpose of Dr. Naon's early arrival is to complete plans for the conference which will begin with the Mexican and American delegates on Wednesday. While rooms and conference hall already had been engaged at a leading hotel in Niagara Falls, Dr. Naon desired to make certain that all conveniences were provided for carrying on the work of the conference with as much comfort and expedition as possible.

The minister was accompanied by his 11 year old son.

STAGE SET FOR SESSIONS

AT NIAGARA FALLS

WASHINGTON, May 18.—While the stage was being set in Niagara Falls, today for the next big scene in the Mexican crisis, officials in diplomatic and administration circles eagerly discussed the extent to which the mediation preliminaries might reach, and the bearing the negotiations eventually would have on the hope of settling the southern republic's ills. Reported optimism of the Huerta delegates over chances for mediation and their confidence that their long journey will not have been in vain found reflection in the capital.

Members of the federal mission were in New York today. Minister Naon of Argentina was at Niagara Falls, arranging for the beginning of the conference next Wednesday. Ambassador DaGama of Brazil was to leave New York today for the Canadian border town. Minister Suarez of Chile was to leave here today, and members of the American mission were expected to reach Niagara Falls Tuesday night or early Wednesday morning, about the time the Huerta representatives arrive from New York.

Successor to Huerta

The Huerta delegates firmly declined while here to give out any statement of their program. Nevertheless some idea of their viewpoint was believed to have been obtained from representative Mexicans and others with whom they talked. They were reported as feeling that the federal administration is disintegrating, and that it is inevitable that a successor must be chosen for Huerta. The great problem in that event is that guarantees could be obtained against possible property confiscation by invading constitutionalists, safeguards against anarchy, and the kind of government that would stand and attract world recognition.

Troops at Vera Cruz

The Huerta delegates privately have admitted that the real problem confronting them is the pacification of their country. At the same time, persons in the confidence of the Washington government assert the question for mediation no longer is the Tampico war incident or the numerous affronts to the dignity of the United States, but the broad question of settling the internal republic's ills. Along that line, it is said that Huerta's troops never will be withdrawn from Vera Cruz until a firm government is established or assured in Mexico City.

Not Carranza or Villa

Observers who were said to have the confidence of Emilio Rabasa, head of the Huerta mission, stated that the "federalists" would object to the naming as Huerta's successor any man on the way to power. "Any arbitrary force" as described in President Wilson's Latin American address. That would eliminate the two constitutionalist leaders—Carranza and Villa—although they are men in the northern faction who would not be unacceptable, it is said.

TELL OF ATROCITIES ON

WEST COAST OF MEXICO

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 18.—The capture by a Mexican transport of the American ship *Guinevere*, the imprisonment of United States Consul General S. Edwards of Acapulco, and other atrocities on the west coast of Mexico were brought in yesterday by the officers and crew of the British steamer *Guinevere* which arrived from Manzanillo.

HUERTA DELEGATES IN

NEW YORK WILL NOT TALK

NEW YORK, May 18.—The Mexican delegates to the Niagara Falls mediation congress, including Ambassador Rodriguez and Luis Echeverria, rested at their hotel early today. They planned to make some visits and do some sightseeing later.

The delegates, with their party of attendants, members of their families and servants arrived from Washington Sunday night. They expect to leave for Niagara Falls tomorrow.

Members of the party decline to talk of their plans. Manuel Martinez del Campo, who has acted as spokesman since the party's arrival in New York, said the delegates would continue their policy of silence.

"I will tell you our itinerary later today and what we do while here," he said, "but nothing more. The delegates do not mean to say anything until they reach Niagara Falls."

FUNERALS

FRANCIS.—The funeral of Charles J. Francis, formerly a resident of this city but more recently of Rochester, N. Y., took place this morning from the funeral chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Lawrence Tiche, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O. M. I., as co-officiant and Rev. Joseph A. Curran, O. M. I., as sub-deacon. The deceased was Mr. Francis, John Francis, Thomas Francis, Fred McAlone and Walter Francis. There were many floral offerings placed upon the casket which was in the family home in St. Peter's cemetery. The funeral services were read by Fr. Tiche, O. M. I. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

SCOTT.—The funeral of Hugh Scott took place Saturday afternoon from his home, 5 Pleasant street. The services were conducted by Rev. Appleton Granville, rector of St. Andrew's Episcopal church. The *Memorial Service* was given appropriate selections. The bearers were T. H. Keen, Joseph Sullivan, Alton Arnold and Thomas Bailey. The floral tributes consisted of a casket from the family, and other offerings were from Miss Blanche Griffiths, a friend, Miss Ruth and Miss Brady, Mrs. John J. Keen, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bushnell, J. H. Bennett and other employees of the Edison cemetery, Matthew Bailey and family, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Schofield, Mrs. Jennie Conant, Miss Eschell Armstrong, the

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WATER WORKS MEN

Continued

Misses Blomhermann, Mrs. Billings, and son and the children, Mrs. Barlow, were in the family car in the Edison cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Mr. Richard A. Griffiths, under the direction of Undertaker Geo. W. Healey.

BEAL.—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah A. Beal took place Saturday afternoon from her residence, The Pine Street, services were conducted by Rev. Charles H. Davis, pastor of the Baptist Church. Appropriate selections were sung by Miss Belle Libby, Miss Beal's daughter. Burial took place yesterday in the family lot in the Riverside cemetery at 1 o'clock. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

CARR.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Carr took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her home, 21 Port Hill avenue. At the immediate center of the church at 1 o'clock, services were held with Fr. Owen McQuaid, O. M. I., officiating. Among the many flowers were a pillow inscribed "Memorial from the family, cross inscribed 'Our mother'." Mrs. Carr was the wife of Frank Carr and had four children, Mrs. M. E. Devine, Francis and Louis. Mrs. Carr was a member of the St. Patrick's church. The funeral services were read by Rev. Fr. McQuaid, O. M. I. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons had charge of the arrangements.

DEATHS

SHLAY.—Mrs. Della Shlay, wife of Emil Shlay, died last evening at her summer cottage on Pleasant Avenue. The remains were removed this morning to the funeral parlors of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons. Funeral notice will appear later.

MELHUGH.—Dennis A. Melhugh, aged 65 years, died this morning at his home, 70 Gorham street, after a short illness. The deceased was a well known resident of this city and a devoted member of St. Peter's church. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, Annie, three daughters, Sister Anna Rita, Misses Josephine and Agnes Melhugh, three sons, Edward, Frank and Charles Melhugh. He was a member of Court Merrimack, P. of A.

BRENNAN.—The many friends of Mrs. Catherine Brennan will be pained to hear of her death which occurred this morning at the home of her son, 27 Bowden street. She leaves to mourn her loss a son, John P. Brennan, and a daughter, Miss Margaret. Funeral notice later.

FUNERAL NOTICES

WEBB.—Died in Lawrence, May 15th. William A. Webb, aged 53 years. He is survived by his wife, Ella M. Webb. Mr. Webb was formerly instructor in the machine department of the Lowell Industrial school. Funeral services will be held at the Edison cemetery chapel in this city Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

WATER WORKS MEN

Continued

Feat and George C. Earl, superintendent of the water and sewerage board of New Orleans, was elected president for the ensuing year to succeed Robert J. Thomas and the latter became a member, automatically, of the executive board.

Commissioner Carmichael enjoyed the convention very much and devoted considerable time to interviewing engineers and superintendents from different parts of the country. The Lowell men think, however, that Lowell's problem is far more serious than that of any other city in the country, and that only in two places in the country do conditions, similar to those in this city, obtain, and the two places in question are Middleton and Brookline, Mass.

Speaking of the convention, Commissioner Carmichael said: "The convention was a great success, over 950 being present, including many delegates from Canada. Mayor Blomhermann delivered a fine address of welcome and Lowell's water department superintendent, Robert J. Thomas, as president of the association, responded to the mayor's welcome. Mr. Thomas is looked up to by members of the association and he made a rattling good speech. He did so well that I actually felt proud of him. I think Mr. Thomas was the most consulted man at the convention and it was very plain to be seen that members of the association have great faith in his judgment relative to matters concerning water works and the water problem in general."

Big Filtration Plants

"We visited big filtration plants at Torrens, Pa., and Wilmington, Delaware, but conditions are different than in Lowell. They have very little iron and no manganese to contend with. The city of Philadelphia gets its water direct from the Delaware river, and on ought to see the water before it is filtered. The Delaware carries sewage from a number of manufacturing plants and it seems as if all kinds of refuse was thrown into it, yet the water, after filtration, is used for all purposes."

"I listened to a number of arguments in favor of creating a fund to replace worn out parts of apparatus connected with the department. I believe it is a good scheme. It is along the same line as is followed by manufacturing concerns, who set aside a certain amount of the receipts for general depreciation. We cannot lay the nucleus in the fund this year because we have too much work on hand, but we will begin next year."

"I found that all through the west there was a talking filtration, but iron and manganese are rarely mentioned. Practically all of the four days of the convention were taken up with the reading and discussion of papers on different water works subject. In the address at the opening session, Mayor Blomhermann spoke earnestly in keeping politics out of the public works, a policy, he said, that he follows. The principal papers were by Nicholas St. Hill, of New York, on "Planning Water Distributing Systems;" George A. Johnson, of New York, on "Modern Filter Practice;" John W. Alford, of Chicago, and W. E. Miller

WILLIAM A. WEBB RT. REV. BISHOP ANDERSON

Director of Lawrence

Industrial School Died Today—Lived Here

LAWRENCE, May 18.—William A. Webb, director of the Lawrence Industrial school, passed away this morning at 12:15 o'clock at the Lawrence General hospital. He was operated upon Sunday, May 10, for peritonitis and had been doing well until Friday when his condition became serious and all hope for his recovery was abandoned.

Although Mr. Webb was director of the Industrial schools of this city for only a comparatively short time, he accomplished more for the school than has ever been done since it was founded. He was an earnest worker and took great pains with whatever he undertook. The report of the Industrial schools which was given out the day before Mr. Webb was operated upon, was indeed a triumph and it was not until the last bit of work was completed that Mr. Webb sought to attend to his health.

Mr. Webb was born in Rockingham, N. C., 53 years ago. He was employed in the Saco Machine shop in Lowell for a time and was later chosen to be a teacher in the Lowell Industrial school. After a few years of rewarded success there, he accepted the position as director of the Lawrence Industrial school.

The father of the boys was Joseph Delaney, while Mrs. Joseph Delaney was assisted in administering the sacrament by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Labaree, and Rev. Eusebius Robinson, the latter of Newton. Present at the Mass of this city and two brothers and three sisters of Mr. Webb, N. C. He resided at 17 Byron avenue.

THE P. M. CONFERENCE

CHANGES MADE IN THE ASSIGNMENT OF MINISTER AT LAWRENCE TODAY

LAWRENCE, May 18.—Changes made in the assignment of ministers by the eastern conference of Primitive Methodist churches at the session at the Second Methodist church in Methuen today included the transfer of Rev. John Singleton from Rockland, N. H., to North Tipton, R. I., and Rev. Joseph Carter from Manville, R. I., to Rockland, N. H.

Rev. Charles Crowley, a new minister was assigned to the church of Manville, R. I.

Henry Edmund of Tilden street, an elderly gentleman, stumbled and fell to the sidewalk near the corner of Moody and Cedar streets this forenoon and sustained several small cuts about the head and back. He was removed to the Lowell hospital in the ambulance.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Confirmed Classes at St. Louis' and St. Peter's Churches—Yesterday's Services

A very impressive ceremony was held at St. Louis' church in West Concordville this forenoon when Rev. Bishop Joseph G. Anderson of Boston administered the sacrament of confirmation to 275 children, boys and girls. The service was held at 10:30 o'clock and consisted of the recitation of the rosary, a sermon by His Grace Bishop Anderson and benediction.

The boys and girls received holy communion in a body at an early mass this morning and at 10:30 o'clock they again assembled at the church. The boys were clad in black suits and wore a white ribbon around the left arm, while the little girls wore white dresses with veils. The pews in the church were occupied by those who were to be confirmed, while their parents and friends, who were numerous, occupied the other places.

The sponsor for the boys was Joseph Delaney, while Mrs. Joseph Delaney was assisted in administering the sacrament by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Labaree, and Rev. Eusebius Robinson, the latter of Newton. Present at the Mass of this city and two brothers and three sisters of Mr. Webb, N. C. He resided at 17 Byron avenue.

The high mass at St. Columba's church was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. John A. Peagan. He also preached. Thursday the Feast of the Ascension will be a holy day of obligation. Masses will be celebrated at 7 and 8 o'clock and there will be vespers in the evening at eight o'clock. The Holy Name society will hold a ladies' night in the parlor hall tonight.

The members of the Holy Family received communion in a body at the 7 o'clock mass at St. Patrick's church yesterday. Rev. Rev. William O'Brien, P. M., was the celebrant. He was assisted by Rev. Joseph A. Curran in giving communion. The celebrant at the high mass was Rev. John J. Kortright and Rev. Thomas Callahan preached the sermon.

At the Immaculate Conception the masses on Thursday will be at 5:15, 6:30 and 8. There will also be services in the evening. At the 10 o'clock mass special music was given by Misses Stella and Dorey of this city and Mr. Jos. McNulty of Tewksbury. At the 11 o'clock mass, a feature of the mass was a duet by Miss Loretta Whitley and Mr. James Mark.

TUBERCULOSIS CAMP The first examination for admission to the tuberculosis camp at the Lowell General hospital will be held at the central building of the hospital tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. It is very important that all who intend to enter the camp should be in their camp life as early as possible and remain until the camp closes for the season.

St. Margaret's Church The masses for the women of St. Margaret's church were brought to a close at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Rev. John P. O'Leary and Rev. John

WEAVER WINS ANOTHER GAME

Errorless Ball Featured
Saturday's Game —
Champions Won 2-1

Lowell Won in 2nd In-
ning on 3 Pases, a
Double and Sacrifice

Managing Partner Christy Wilson of the Lowell Haverhill club led his game to the Champions Saturday in the second inning when he permitted Gray's hard-hitting three-run home run to first base, a sacrifice fly and a long double by "Snapper" Greenhalge. The two runs which crossed the plate as a consequence were enough to place Lowell a 2-1 winner at the conclusion of the nine innings.

"Snapper" Greenhalge pitched the ball for the locals and was well supported. Not an error marred the contest on either side. Greenhalge, Devine and Cargo furnished the batting features of the game.

First Inning

Cargo opened up by fanning. Dugan walked. Little Tommy Devine, who is as old as the New England league itself, hit a pop fly to Greenhalge. Howard hit out to DeGroat. No runs. For Lowell: Devine flied out to Dugan; DeGroat flied out to Devine; a pretty catch. Burke flied out to Mulvey. No runs.

Score: Lowell 0, Haverhill 0.

Second Inning

Mulvey hit to Burke and died at first. Wilder flied out to Potteiger in short center. Campbell walked and stole second. Gaston popped to Burke. No runs. In Lowell's half, Stimpson walked. Wilson caught him off the base and threw to Wilder. He was declared out and the bases were not scored. At this point DeGroat and his brother comedian, Lehman, took possession of the coaching lines. Smith sent a long fly to Howard and Potteiger took third. Kelly stole second and Potteiger came home for a double steal. Incidentally, Potteiger went over the fence at the plate. Greenhalge doubled to the left field fence, scoring Kelly. Weaver hit to Campbell and was out. Two runs.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Third Inning

Wilson flied to Greenhalge. Cargo popped a fly to Smith. Dugan flied to Greenhalge. No runs. For Lowell: Devine grounded to Mulvey and was out at first. DeGroat was an easy out. Cargo to Wilder. Burke flied out to Howard. No runs.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Fourth Inning

Devine singled to left. Howard flied out to Mulvey. Wilder hit to Dev. Forcing Devine at second. No runs. For Lowell: Stimpson hit the ball at Wilder, who knocked it down, but he couldn't get Stimpson at first and the left fielder gets a hit. Potteiger sent a pop fly to Mulvey in an attempt to sacrifice. Stimpson went out trying to steal second. Cargo getting the throw. Kelly singled to left. Smith drove a hot one at Mulvey, who knuckled it down, but couldn't recover the ball. Kelly setting second. Greenhalge hit to Cargo, forcing Smith at second. No runs.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Fifth Inning

Campbell opened the fifth, and he hit to Burke with the usual result, out at second. Gaston went out on a hot line drive to Burke.

Wilson hit to Burke and went out at first. It was Burke's lucky ball. No runs. For Lowell: Weaver hit to Mulvey and died at first. DeGroat flied to Burke. DeGroat hit a liner to Campbell after DeGroat had started for second and a double play was the result. No runs.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Sixth Inning

Cargo singled to left. Dugan flied to Kelly. Devine hit to Dev, who completed the play, at first throwing to Kelly. No runs. For Lowell: Burke opened with a single to left. Stimpson sent him to second with a sacrifice. Potteiger hit to Wilson and was out at first. Burke reaching third on the play. Kelly hit to Howard. No runs.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Seventh Inning

Howard opened the lucky seventh with a two-run home run. The left fielder, Mulvey, hit to Burke and was out at first. Howard reaching third. Mulvey doubled to right field, scoring Howard. Campbell hit to Smith and was out at first. Wilson going to third, but he hit in the middle of the plate and Weaver threw him out at first. For Lowell: Devine singled to left. DeGroat flied to Burke. Greenhalge singled to left. Devine walked. Devine was out at first. Devine was out at first. Devine was out at first.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Eighth Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Ninth Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Tenth Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Eleventh Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Twelfth Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Thirteenth Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Fourteenth Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Fifteenth Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Sixteenth Inning

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Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Seventeenth Inning

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Eighteenth Inning

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Nineteenth Inning

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Twentieth Inning

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Twenty-first Inning

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Twenty-second Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Twenty-third Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Twenty-fourth Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Twenty-fifth Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Twenty-sixth Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Twenty-seventh Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

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Twenty-eighth Inning

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Twenty-ninth Inning

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Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Thirtieth Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Thirty-first Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Thirty-second Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Thirty-third Inning

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Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Thirty-fourth Inning

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Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Thirty-seventh Inning

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Thirty-ninth Inning

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Fortieth Inning

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Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Forty-first Inning

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Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Forty-second Inning

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Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Forty-third Inning

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Fiftieth Inning

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Fifty-first Inning

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Fifty-second Inning

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Fifty-third Inning

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Sixtieth Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Sixty-first Inning

Wilson pitched to Greenhalge. Campbell hit to Burke for a single, but tried to make second and was out. Campbell to Burke. Dugan singled to left.

Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Sixty-second Inning

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Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Sixty-third Inning

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Seventieth Inning

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Seventy-first Inning

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Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Seventy-second Inning

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Score: Lowell 2, Haverhill 0.

Seventy-third Inning

OUR NEW POST OFFICE SILVER JUBILEE OF C. M. A. C. WATER WORKS MEN HOLD BIG CONVENTION

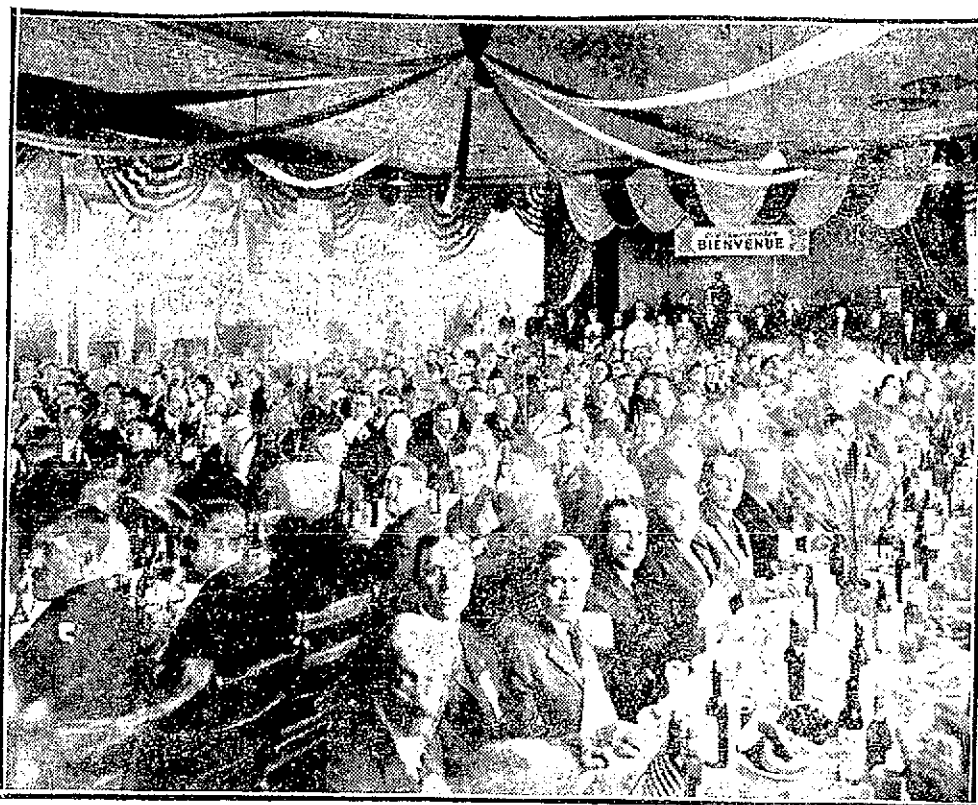
Congressman Rogers Confident That the Necessary Appropriation Can be Obtained in Dec.

When seen by a Sun representative this morning relative to the proposed erection of a new post office in Lowell, Congressman John Jacob Rogers gave a brief review of the situation and called attention to some recent rules adopted by the committee on public buildings and grounds which indicate that the matter will not be considered at the present session of congress. Many such propositions, however, will be proposed at the short session in December, and at that time Congressman Rogers will again bring Lowell's needs to the attention of the national legislators.

At the hearing before the committee on public buildings and grounds last February, Mr. Rogers presented the arguments in favor of a new post office on a new site, in great detail, and supplemented his own views by the testimony of Maj. Robert J. Crowley, the present postmaster, Joseph A. Legare, former postmaster, and Gen. Gardner W. Pearson, who was postmaster at the time the present building was erected. Since then, Mr. Rogers has kept in close touch with the committee, without the sanction of which the new post office cannot be erected. In answer to a recent letter of Mr. Rogers, Frank Clark of Florida, chairman of the committee sent the Lowell representative a copy of some rules recently adopted for the purpose of facilitating congressional action. The drift of these rules, from which no exception has been made, is that at the present session of congress, no new business requiring a government appropriation will be considered, unless action was started at a previous session of congress. That is an insuperable bar to the agitation for an appropriation at this time.

Mr. Rogers also called attention to the fact that even if such rules had not been adopted, the recent action of the democratic caucus would have postponed action on the Lowell post office matter until after the present session. At the caucus in question it was decided that nothing would be considered at the present session except routine appropriation bills and anti-trust legislation. Such action was taken largely because of the pledge of economy made by the democratic party and partly because of the desire of the president and other leaders for expedition during the remainder of the present session.

As far as the ultimate fate of the Lowell post office project is concerned, Mr. Rogers is inclined to be very sanguine, and hopes that favorable action will follow his presentation of the matter at the brief congressional session in December.



VIEW OF THE BANQUET HALL AND GUESTS' TABLE

Celebration Attended by Gov. Walsh, Congressman Rogers, Councillor J. J. Hogan and Other Officials—Interesting Addresses Delivered

TRAVERS OUT OF MATCH

Amateur Golf Champion of U. S. Eliminated in First Round—Ouimet Won His Match

SANDWICH, Eng., May 15.—Jerome Travers, amateur golf champion of the United States, was eliminated today in the first round of the contest for the British amateur championship and the chance of an American taking the title across the Atlantic waters. In the opinion of experts here, he is a champion.

Charles A. Palmer, who defeated Travers by 2 up, is the Irish champion and was the runner up to John Ball for the championship in 1907. He comes from Haverhill, England. Northern Travers, who Palmer played very well today, Travers appeared to allow too much for the speed of the green. Consequently, he was shot with his opponent's shot, while his drives were about 20 yards shorter than those of his opponent and his putting was down badly.

Palmer was suffering from lameness and his drives lacked their usual energy.

The American champion took an early lead but the players were all square at the turn. Travers was again 2 up at the 15th hole but Palmer caught him at the 16th and won the last two holes.

E. Holderness of Benham beat Henry J. Topping of the Greenwich Country Club, Connecticut, by 1 up.
S. Chadwick of Gresham beat Edward S. Knapp of Westbrook by 6 up and 1 to play.
Francis Ouimet, the Woodland Golf Club, Massachusetts, open champion of the United States, beat C. C. McGregor of Manila, champion of the Philippines, by 7 up and 4 to play.
Charles W. Evans, Jr., of Chicago beat W. Cranston of Walton Heath, England, by 5 up and 4 to play.
J. Murray of Romford, England, beat C. W. Insley of the Onkida Community Club, New York, by 5 up.
Frederic Hale of Chicago beat W. Whigham of the Royal St. George's Club 5 up and 3 to play.

ALFRED H. HILL MAY PROCESSION

Of Lowell Junction Died at Lawrence General Hospital

3000 Children Made an Impressive Sight in Lawrence Yesterday

ALFRED H. Hill of Lowell Junction, who was thrown from his wagon last Friday night near Foster's pond, died Saturday night at 12:30 o'clock at the Lawrence General Hospital from a severe injury to his spine. The body was brought to Lowell Sunday afternoon by Undertakers W. W. Coffey & Son of Lawrence.

The accident occurred Friday night about 10 o'clock near Foster's pond. Mr. Hill was about to alight from his wagon when his foot slipped and he struck his spine on the wagon step. He was attended by Dr. J. J. Dwyer of Andover, who ordered him removed to the General Hospital in Lawrence, where everything possible was done to save his life but without avail.

CAUGHT RED HANDED

WOULD BE BURGLAR HAD RANSACKED HOUSE IN LAWRENCE AND WAS CAUGHT

LAWRENCE, May 18.—Taking advantage of the fact that the annual May procession was in progress in this city on Sunday afternoon, Benjamin Saland, 17 years of age, a notorious burglar, entered the home of Fred E. Dean of the firm of Fred E. Dean & Son, 21 E. Main street, and ransacked it from top to bottom. He will not derive any benefit from this attempt, however, as he was captured with the goods in his possession. Mr. Dean and his wife had been out Sunday afternoon but returned to their home, which he at 21 E. Main street, Charlestown, about 5:30 o'clock. Upon finding the door unlocked Dean suspected that there was something wrong and sending his wife in by the front door he went around to the rear of the house. He has just reached there when the thief jumped through a window and started to run away. Dean gave chase and upon overtaking the thief grabbed him and took him back to the house. Word was hastily sent to the police station and the patrol wagon was dispatched to the house. In the meantime Officers Dineen and Hart arrived upon the scene and they found some of Dean's property upon the person of Saland. The house upon investigation was found to have been ransacked from top to bottom. Dean looked at the police station Saland gave his residence at New York.

A BIG FIRE IN UPTON

DESTROYED HALF A DOZEN BUILDINGS—MANSION ALSO DAMAGED

WORCESTER, May 18.—A fire which had its origin in a shed connected with Fred W. Clark's livery stable in the center of Upton, today destroyed half a dozen buildings, including the Clark stables, two residences, a tenement house and two barns.

The Elijah Bates Stoddard mansion was also damaged. The loss is estimated at \$15,000. The blaze was spread by a lively breeze and the destruction of the entire business section of the town was prevented by help from Worcester, Milford and Hopkdale.

The silver jubilee of the C. M. A. C., vance of the day will be long remembered by all who attended. The C. M. A. C. was organized 36 years ago as a social and literary organization and 25 years ago last April 30 it was converted into a mutual and benefit association and the observance of the event was postponed until Sunday, May 17. The celebration consisted of a church service in the morning and a banquet

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EX-PRES. MELLEN AT ANNAPOLIS OFFICER RESCUED

Bringing New Haven Papers to Washington—Testifies Tomorrow

WASHINGTON, May 18.—When Chas. S. Mellen, former president of the New Haven railroad, returns to Washington today, he is expected to turn over to the interstate commerce commission, through Chief Counsel Joseph W. Folk, certain documents and papers which he went to New Haven to obtain.

The papers relate, according to Mr. Mellen's testimony to the various operations of the New Haven, entirely aside from his relations with the railroad company. It is the announced purpose of the commission, not to confine Mr. Mellen's examination to the railroad transactions, but to enter fully into an inquiry as to the acquisition by the road of all of its subsidiary properties.

Mr. Mellen is expected to inform the commission how the properties were obtained; from whom they were purchased and how much was paid for them. Particular efforts will be made by the commission, also, to ascertain the methods employed in the acquisition of the subsidiaries and to learn the names of the people or concerns that conducted the various deals and handled the money.

Chief Counsel Folk did not care today to discuss any phases of the inquiry. He and his assistants were busily engaged in completing their examination and analysis of the evidence and exhibits already submitted, preparatory to the continuation tomorrow of the examination of Mr. Mellen.

COCAINE AND MORPHINE

MEN WHO BROUGHT IT INTO NEW BEDFORD WERE SENT TO JAIL

NEW BEDFORD, May 18.—Frederick Mills of Providence, R. I., and Edward Nelson of Worcester were sentenced in district court here today to three months in jail for bringing cocaine and morphine into New Bedford for sale.

PROF. GETTELL LEAVES TRINITY HARTFORD, Conn., May 18.—Prof. Raymond G. Gettell of the history department of Trinity college announced today that when the present college year closed he would go to the University of Texas at Austin to become head of the department of government. Prof. Gettell was a member of Bates college faculty in 1906.

DR. SNEEDEN COMING HERE

David Snedden, chairman of the state board of education, will come to Lowell tomorrow afternoon for the purpose of discussing certain matters with the school board. It will be a private conference and it will have to do, it is stated, with the rotation of the local Normal school to the city.

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ed into a mutual and benefit association and the observance of the event was postponed until Sunday, May 17. The celebration consisted of a church service in the morning and a banquet

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Lowell Boys Notified to Present Themselves at Naval Academy

Congressman John Jacob Rogers this morning called attention to the fact that as the result of the competitive examinations held in this district for entrance to the naval academy at Annapolis, Lawrence B. Richardson of Methuen has been notified to present himself to the authorities of the naval academy for admission. Mr. Richardson headed the list of applicants.

Senator Weeks has also notified Mr. Rogers that Becker H. Garity of 22 Fairview street, this city, has been notified by the army officials to present himself at West Point in June for admission to the military academy. Mr. Garity is the son of the late Captain Garity of Lowell and his name was given to Senator Weeks by Mr. Rogers as first alternate. Thus it will be seen that in the persons of both young men, high honors have been bestowed on this district.

A committee commented on by Congressman Rogers this morning is that the news of the success of both applicants followed closely on the news that Hagar of Cambridge and Welch of Andover, Mass., were the first to fall in the service of their country in the Mexican struggle. Hagar being of the marines and Welch in the land forces. Cambridge and Welch have been honored highly by Cambridge and by the whole of New York and have been brought to this home of young Maurice Welch to his home in Andover. Mr. Rogers visited the home of the young patriot in Andover today and consulted the bereaved mother as to her wishes in the disposal of his body.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONFERENCE

The Merrimack branch of the Episcopal Sunday school union held a conference Saturday in St. Paul's church at North Andover, commencing at 3 o'clock.

Delegates were in attendance from Lowell, Haverhill, Lawrence, Andover, Methuen and North Andover.

Addresses were delivered by Auxiliary Bishop Roberts of Boston and Rev. Philip Osmond of Rosindale.

MELLEN LEAVES NEW HAVEN

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 18.—Charles S. Mellen, ex-president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad left today for Washington. Mr. Mellen declined to discuss the pending investigation.

BRITISH POLO TEAM BEATEN

LONDON, May 18.—The British representative polo team which is to play in the United States for the international polo trophy, was beaten today by four goals to three by a combination explained by Walter S. Buckmaster in a match played at the Reims-amp-ton club.

KILLED BY RUNAWAYS

WARREN, R. I., May 18.—Andrew Carlson, employed by the highway department of the town was killed today in trying to stop a pair of runaway horses.

Com. Carmichael Tells of Trip to Philadelphia — Supt. Robert J. Thomas Responds to Address of Welcome — Lowell's Water Problem Her Own

Commissioner James H. Carmichael, and Robert J. Thomas, water department superintendent, returned yesterday from Philadelphia where they attended the 34th annual convention of the American Water Works association. Edward F. Saunders, fire department chief, also attended the convention and is expected home today.

Supt. Thomas, who was elected president of the association one year ago, said that last week's convention was the best, from any viewpoint, ever held by the association. The association elects a new president every

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AMEND THE BILL

Senate Votes \$180,580 for Standardization of Cotton

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The senate today by a vote of 39 to 10 agreed to an amendment to the agricultural bill appropriating \$180,580 to provide for the grading and standardization of cotton.

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THE BECKER TRIAL

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and was sent to see Rose then under arrest.

He reported that Rose had agreed to allow Becker to select his lawyer. Becker then despatched Pitt, the witness swore, to Rose's house on Long Island. The witness was not allowed to say for what purpose he made his trip.

The next day, Sunday, Pitt asserted, Becker said: "I want you to get out of ——— will squeal on me."

"Then Becker told me to see Rose," said Pitt, "and assure him that he was doing everything he could for him and for him to say nothing."

The next time Pitt saw Becker was in the Tombs prison, after his arrest. Becker said, according to Pitt, "I didn't tell you those things. I would squeal on me." I want you to get out and get everything you can on Jack Rose. Get hold of the men in my squad and have them testify I had no conversation with Mrs. Rosenthal on the night of the raid."

Pitt said he saw Becker many times in the Tombs after that. He visited him every day for three weeks after his arrest, until Becker went to the death house at Sing Sing. Once he told Becker, he said, that a friend of the gunmen had told him to tell Becker the gunmen wanted \$500 and that if they did not get it quick there would be trouble.

"Well," Becker said, according to the witness, "tell them I haven't got it now but as soon as I get my hands on \$500 the gunmen will get it."

Pitt said he wrote Becker almost constantly after his conviction, and that Becker wrote him from the death house. After Becker's conviction and sentencing he said he journeyed with the party up to the prison.

"I gave Becker a drink on the train," said the witness, "and said it would probably be the last for some time. Becker put his arms around me and began to cry."

"Old pal," he said, "if I do go off in the chair, I want you to do me one favor. Kill that squealing ——— Jack Rose."

Here, the witness was turned over to the defense for cross-examination.

Mr. Stanton asked Pitt if he had ever been in jail or in an insane asylum. The witness admitted that he had been in jail once since Becker's first trial but denied ever having been in an asylum. He was questioned closely about the killing of a negro who was shot during one of Becker's gambling raffles. Pitt admitted that he had been sued for the man's death, as had Becker.

Pitt admitted that he had been working in the district attorney's inquiry for eight weeks. The county has been paying his expenses for the past 10 weeks. For eight weeks he has been receiving in addition, a salary of \$20 a week. He denied that he had made a bargain to turn state's evidence against Becker for a perjury indictment found in connection with the murder of the negro at the raid would be quashed.

A typewritten statement by Pitt which was turned over to one of Becker's former lawyers, was read to the jury. In this statement Pitt said Becker had been "framed up" about the gambling situation and that Rosenthal had told him he was going to do it.

Mrs. Rosenthal Called

The first witness to take the stand today was Lillian Rosenthal, widow of the dead gambler. In reply to questions by District Attorney Whitman, she said she was living in her husband's gambling house when he was murdered.

"How long have you known Becker?" the district attorney asked.

"Since Thanksgiving eve before my husband was killed," replied Mrs. Rosenthal.

The witness then told how Becker at the Elks club had put his arm around her husband's neck and said: "Mrs. Rosenthal, Herman is the best fellow in the world. Any time I can do any favor for either of you I am at your service."

The witness related that her husband had told her of the supposed partnership between him and Becker, and she bore out the story told by Jack Rose, that Rose had been placed in the house to look out for Becker's share of the profits.

"Did you say at the last trial that Rose was the partner of your husband in the gambling business, as the record shows?"

"I don't remember," replied the witness.

George Dougherty, former deputy police commissioner, was the next witness. He told of the surrender of Rose and of Becker's appearing at headquarters while Rose was being questioned and peering through the door at the prisoner. On cross examination, the witness said Becker had told him where he was the night before and the morning of the murder.

Two more other witnesses were called and then Charles H. Pitt, Becker's erstwhile confidant and press agent, took the stand for the prosecution.

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TAFT PRAISES WILSON

Former President Urges Support of President for Peace in Mexico—Criticizes Aid to Rebels

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He asserted that there was no popular pressure for a military policy which the administration cannot resist. He said that the people were determined to do their duty even should that duty involve war. But for war, he added, the people have at present little enthusiasm.

The criticism which Mr. Taft leveled at the Wilson administration had to do with the aid which, he said, the administration had given to the Mexican constitutionalists.

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"In such a case, a neighboring nation may properly intervene and help the forces of law and order to end such anarchy before it endures to live in a quiet neighborhood, and not from a spirit of conquest and greed of territory. Of course, the discharge of a neighboring duty of imperfect obligation like this, involving expenditure of life and treasure, a nation is entitled to make in seeking every honorable means to end it, and in assuming it only when no other course is possible."

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DOG BLOCKS SUICIDE

BIG ST. BERNARD FAILS AT RESCUE, SO SECURES HELP TO SAVE WOMAN AT LYNN

BOSTON, May 18.—But for the almost human intelligence of a large St. Bernard dog the police of Lynn would be dragging the waters of Lynn beach today to recover the body of Mrs. Maria Cloon, who attempted suicide by drowning yesterday noon.

The woman, who is 75 years of age, and who gave her address as 35-Broad street, Lynn, went to the beach yesterday morning, and selecting a time when no one was in the vicinity, proceeded to walk out into the deep water of the beach.

The dog, which she had stopped to pet on her trip to the water, followed her when she stepped into the water. She had waded but a few yards when she dashed in after her, grasping her skirt between his jaws and attempting to drag her back. Failing in this, he set up a mournful howl, and then began barking sharply and dashing back and forth into the water and running up and down the beach.

These actions continued for several minutes and the woman had proceeded until she was breast-deep in the surf, when the actions of the canine were noticed by David T. Knox of 78 Shepard street, Lynn, who was passing down Nahant road.

At first Knox was unable to learn the cause of the strange proceedings, and when he saw the woman rising above the water, he thought that she was an early season bather out for a swim. It was not until he saw her disappear under the surf that he realized she was attempting suicide.

In the meantime Daniel Walsh, another Lynn man, had arrived on the scene and tried to lead the woman to the shore. Half wading and half swimming, they reached Mrs. Cloon as she was sinking for the third time. They dragged her to the shore and while they were giving first aid treatment the police were summoned.

NOT TO HONOR HAGGERTY

MANY CAMBRIDGE CITIZENS PROTEST CALLING NEW SCHOOL AFTER HIM

BOSTON, May 18.—William F. Fitzgerald of 89 Hammond street, Cambridge, declared last evening that if the naming of the newly planned Mr. Auburn schoolhouse after Daniel A. Haggerty came to a vote of the people at a public mass meeting in Cambridge, he would certainly vote against the order which has been adopted by the school committee, by the vote of 3 to 2.

He declared it was absurd to think of naming a schoolhouse after a man whom the people of Cambridge really know little about and at such short notice. "I will vote against such naming of the school," he said yesterday.

John P. Gaudy, a member of the school committee who voted against the order at the last meeting of the school committee, declares that it is only a small group of politicians that are urging the citizens to give such honor to Haggerty's memory, mainly to gain notoriety, to forward their votes at the next election. The park commissioners have practically decided to abandon the idea of naming Cambridge field the Haggerty field.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The gymnasium girls will meet for a closing party on Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All the classes will join together and will come in gymnasium suits. Miss Virginia P. Catter, the returning physical director will be the guest of the evening and a jolly good time is assured.

A funny little sketch entitled "The Minister's Wife" will be given in Kilton hall, Wednesday evening, May 20, by girls from two of the classes of the Primitive Methodist Sunday school. Music and recitations will be given as part of the program of the evening.

The extension clubs which have been meeting separately most of the winter with the exception of the nights on which some of them have united for basketball, will come together for a general party and entertainment to be held in Kilton hall, Thursday evening, May 21.

Enthusiasm has begun to manifest itself in the direction of Camp Overlook which will be opened at Billerica on the Concord from June 15 to Sept. 15, in charge of Miss Frances E. Bates. Important meeting of the Makenzie club will be held on Tuesday evening, May 19.

SOCIALISM RAPPED HARD

COMMON CAUSE ORATOR SAYS SOCIALISM IS UTOPIAN DREAM, AN IMPOSSIBLE FANCY

BOSTON, May 18.—Nearly 2000 persons attended the open-air meeting held under the auspices of the Common Cause society on the Common mall yesterday afternoon. George A. McKinnon of Boston was the speaker. His topic was "Socialism a Failure."

"Socialism is a Utopian dream, an impossible fancy," said Mr. McKinnon. "When you get down to practical socialism there is nothing in it. The average man is lazy, and if under a socialist form of government we knew we would receive only a mess of pottage and a suit of clothes we would expend only 25 per cent of our energy, if that. Famine, disease and revolution would follow the adoption of a socialistic form of government."

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Herbert M. Jacobs, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, Intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Etta A. Jacobs, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at said Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the nineteenth day of May, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on one day, at least, before said Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the nineteenth day of May, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Peter J. Dunn, late of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, Intestate.

Whereas a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Mary A. Dunn, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

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